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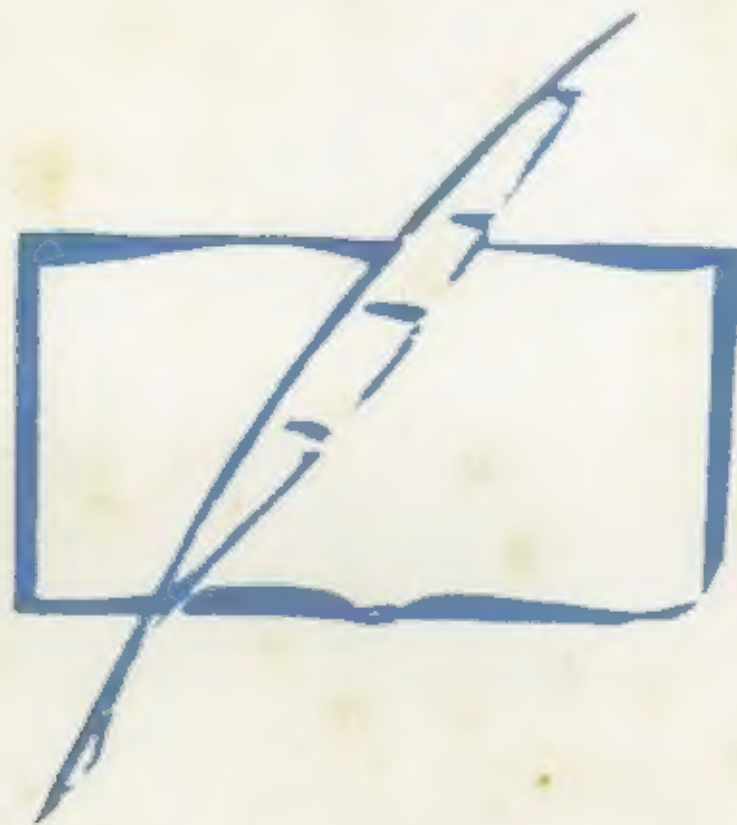
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Editor

EDITOR'S MESSAGE

Publication of the 1955 Blue Quill has presented many problems. Among these were the problems that arose due to the changes in the method of selecting the staff. In the past the staff has been chosen from the senior class. This year the members were selected from the entire student body, by vote of all the students. Having the staff composed of students from all grades made it impossible to have a specific period for the annual and most of the work had to be done by the individual staff members in their free periods. Members of the staff were called upon to sacrifice many hours of their free time to work on the annual and their response was very gratifying. I would like to express my appreciation to them for their hard work and fine spirit of co-operation, and extend to them the credit for making this 1955 Blue Quill a reality.

I would like to express the appreciation of the staff to everyone who helped us in the production of the book. Our faculty advisors, Mr. Cockrell, Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. Moore, and Mrs. Manry, have been invaluable in the guidance and direction of our efforts. The administration and faculty have been very patient and understanding with us and our problems. Thanks to our photographer, Darrell Lundgren; to our publisher, Henington Publishing Co., and a special thanks to Mr. Jennings of Jennings Studio for his help and advice with our many picture problems. We are grateful to our advertisers whose support made it possible to finance the book and to everyone else who has given us a helping hand along the way.

We hope this Fifteenth Edition of the Blue Quill will, in future years, help you to recall the enjoyable experience that the 1954-55 school year has been.

Sincerely,

Marvin C. Slusher

Marvin C. Slusher
Editor



DEDICATION

In tribute to the Senior Class, a group of fine young people to whom we are all much indebted, the 1954-55 Blue Quill is dedicated. These deserving students have merited our admiration and respect through their ability to face disappointments and difficulties squarely and successfully. We appreciate their untiring efforts and congenial spirit in helping to make this yearbook a success.

Though we watch with regret their leave-taking from high school, we would wish for the Senior Class of 1955 good luck and a happy future.



CORRIGAN HIGH SCHOOL

HIGH SCHOOL GYMNASIUM





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FOOTBALL STADIUM



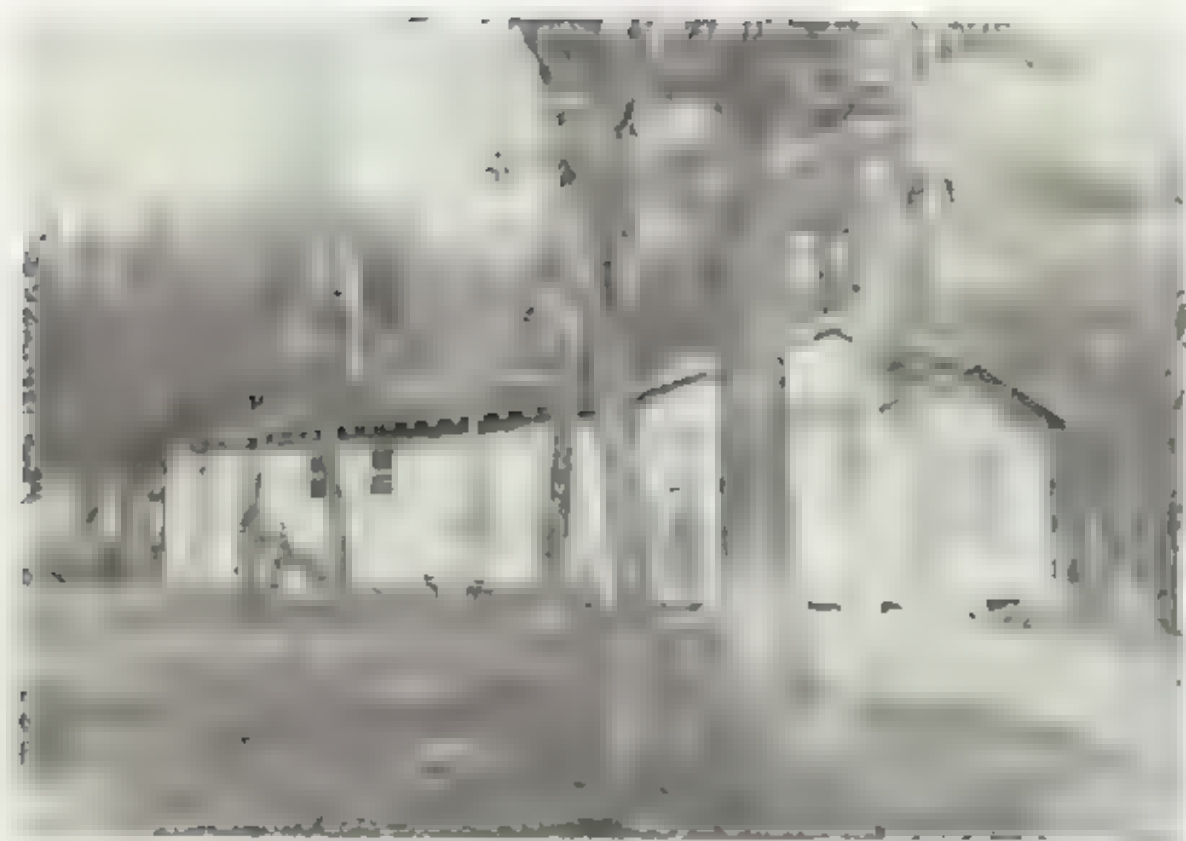


ELEMENTARY SCHOOL BUILDING

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH



BLUE QUILL



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A great deal of the credit for the type of school program and facilities enjoyed by the pupils of Corrigan schools, should go to the Board of Education. They are always ready to lay aside personal affairs to give unselfishly of their time and effort in behalf of the boys and girls of our community.

ADMINISTRATION



Dear Students of '54-55

Corrigan schools have been and are recognized for their progress and achievements. No finer illustration could be furnished than the proficient manner in which this Yearbook portrays the 'highlights' of student life in our schools. You have been a wonderful group to work with and for that reason this Annual will become one of my prized possessions. I wish for you many blessings; and most of all, that you will always possess the ability to rise to 'the occasion'.

To the Staff, whose responsibility it has been to publish this book, I express my appreciation for the excellent job you have done. Being mindful of the handicaps of no scheduled time for annual production, I especially appreciate the manner in which you have performed this assignment. If you will carry these traits with you into adult activities, your accomplishments will be many as well as outstanding.

Sincerely yours,

F. D. Manry
F. D. Manry
Superintendent

ADMINISTRATION



PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

As we enter the remaining days of another school year we realize more than ever that each of us has a definite place in life. Our responsibilities to our associates become more real to us as we reach maturity, and it is necessary that we work hard toward fulfilling our responsibility

Your smile and pleasant attitude can play an important roll in making you a happy and well adjusted individual. I trust that each of you will look forward to each day as the greatest day of your life

It has been a pleasure to work with you again this year and I shall always remember you as an outstanding group of students

Sincerely,

Bill Stewart

Bill Stewart
Principal



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8th Grade Social Studies
Pep Squad Advisor
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8th Grade Social
Science
8th Grade Sponsor
Music Club Advisor



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8th Grade Sponsor
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BRACWELL

(Chester High School)
Candidate for Football Sweetheart
F. H. A. 3 years; Band 2 years
Basketball 2 years; (Corrigan High
School) Driving Club



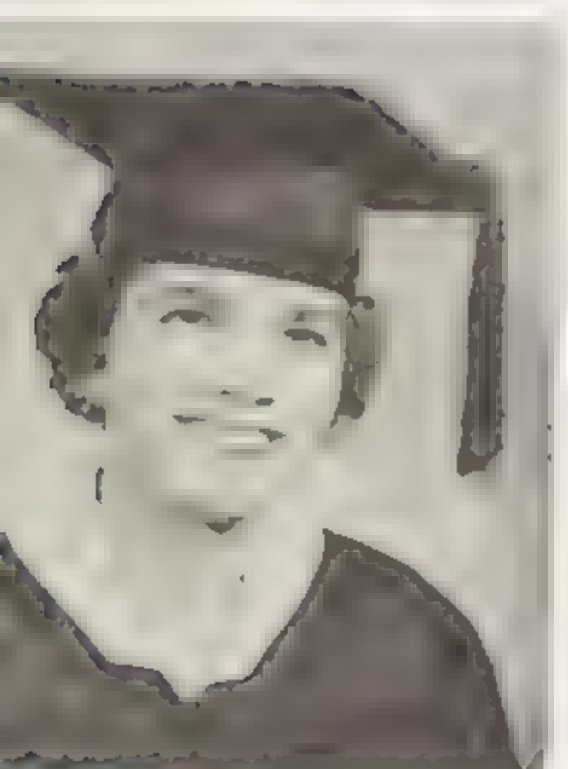
YVONNE BRAZZINI

(French High School)
Y-Teens; Girls Athletic Club 2
years; Band 2 years. Favorite
Choral Club 2 years; (Corrigan
School) Class Reporter;
Football Sweetheart, Senior Favor
F. H. A.; Blue Quill Art Edi
tor



ANNETTE BURKS

F. H. A. 4 years. District Treasur
er, Parliamentarian; Band 4 years,
Reporter; Choral Club 2 years;
Hobby Club, National Honor So
ciety 3 years, Secretary; Sophomore
Class Favorite; Jug and Bot
tle Band, Junior Officer; Junior
Favorite, Senior Favorite; Senior
Officer; Music Appreciation Club,
Reporter; Blue Quill Business
Manager



ANNIE FAY GASSIOTT

Hobby Club; Choral Club; Music
Appreciation Club; F. H. A. 3
years.



DON HUNT

F. H. A. Vice President; Drivers
Club; Reporter; Hobby Club, Vice
President; Greenhand; Woodwork
ing Club.



CORRY THOMAS JONES

Football, 3 years; Track, 3 years;
F. F. A., 3 years; officer, Wood-
working Club; Sophomore Favor-
ite Senior Favorite; 1954 2nd All
District team; Blue Quill Treasur-
er



FLMFR B. KNOX

Football, 4 years; Co-Captain,
1954-55; Basketball, 3 years; Co-
captain, 1954-55; All-district 2nd
team, 2 years; Girls' Basketball
Sweetheart, 2 years; F. F. A., 2
years; Track, 2 years; Junior Class
Favorite; Blue Quill Staff.



JACK DENMAN KNOX

Football, 3 years; Basketball, 2
years; F. F. A. Officer, 3 years
First place winner, Hereford J-
ing. Houston Fat Stock Show
Softball, 3 years; Blue Quill Pho-
tography Editor



THOMAS LOWE

Woodworking Club; Hobby Club;
F. F. A.; Chapter Conduction
Team Adviser; Chapter Songlead-
er; Football, 3 years; Softball, 2
years; Track, 3 years



B. L. MANRY

Football, 3 years; Basketball; F. F.
A.; Officer; Boy's Athletics Club;
Hobby Club; Woodworking Club.



EUGENE MATLOCK

Football, 3 years; Basketball, 2 years; Track; F. F. A.; Woodworking Club; Music Appreciation Club; Hobby Club; Junior-Senior Talent Show, 1953-54



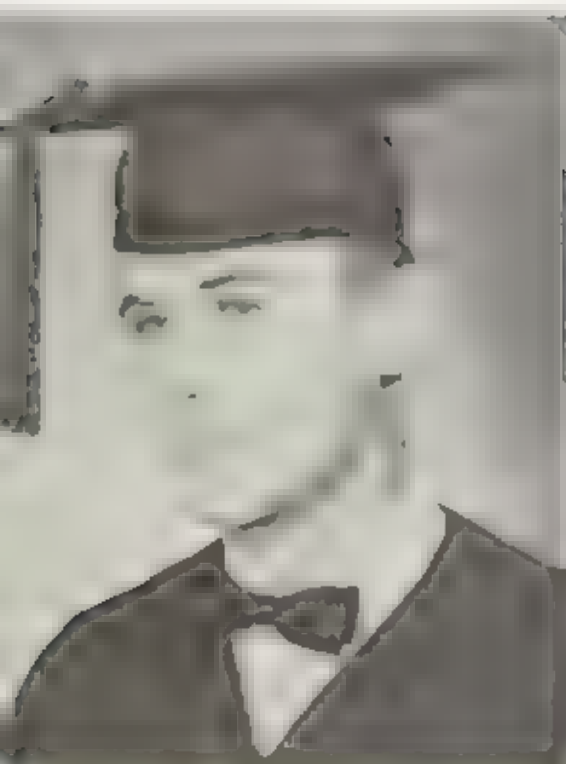
JERRY MAXEY

F. F. A.; Woodworking Club, Freshmen Favorite; Sophomore Officer; Girls' Basketball Sweetheart; Senior Favorite; F. H. A. Sweetheart, Hobby Club; Track, Football 4 years; Blue Quill Asst Sports Editor.



DORIS JEAN MOULDER

F. H. A. Reporter; Music Appreciation Club, Treasurer; Band 3 years; Hobby Club; National Honor Society; Jug, Fife, and Bottle Band; Jive Band; Talent Show, Junior and Senior Officer; Freshman Favorite; Football Sweetheart Nominee; Blue Quill Features Editor.



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CLEO PURVIS

Football 3 years; Basketball Co captain, 53-54; All District, 54-55; Track, 2 years; F. F. A. Officer; Freshman Officer; Junior Officer; Senior Officer; Girls' Basketball Sweetheart; Blue Quill Advertising Editor.



BILLY RICE

Football 4 years; Basketball 2 years; Athletic Club 2 years, President; Hobby Club 2 years, President; F. F. A. Historian 2 years



JOHNNY RILEY

F. F. A. 3 years; Woodworking Club; Athletic Club 3 years.



SHIRLEY RUSHING

F. H. A. 3 years, Parliamentarian; Officer of Homeroom Club 3 years; Crafts Club; Freshman Other Activities Club; Choral Club; Western Day Queen; Music Appreciation Club; Senior Favorite; Blue Quill Assistant Features Editor.



MARJORIE SAILER

F. H. A. 4 years; Basketball 4 years, Co-captain 2 years; Softball 3 years; Volley Ball 2 years; Girls' Athletic Club 3 years, Reporter; Pep Squad; Hobby Club; Cheerleader.



MARVIN C. SLUSHER

Football 3 years; Basketball 2 years; Softball, 2 years; Track, 2 years; Girls' Basketball Sweetheart; F. H. A. Sweetheart; F. F. A., 2 years, Reporter; Music Appreciation Club; Hobby Club; Blue Quill Editor.



JAMES RAY SPLETTSTOSSER
Football 2 years; Baseball 3 years;
F. F. A. 3 years; Track 2 years.
Farm Skill Team 2 years; Hobby
Club; Woodworking Club; Ath-
letic Club; Science Club

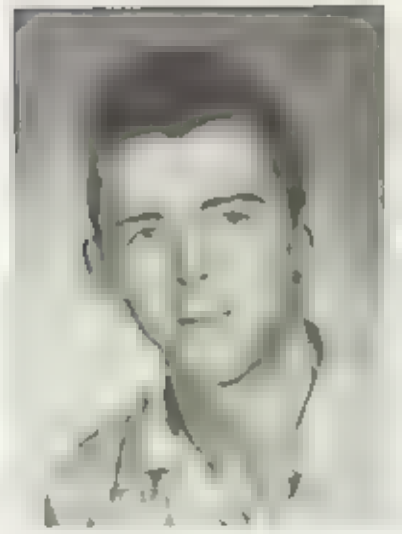


POLLY THOMSON
Senior Favorite; Football Sweet-
heart Nominee. Cheerleader; Boys
Basketball Sweetheart; F. H. A.
Officer; Band; Debate Club; Girl's
Round Table Debater - NFL.
Speech Club; Choral Club; Junior
Choir; Blue Quill Staff; 4-H Club
3 years.



BILLY EARL WATTS
F. F. A. 3 years; Softball 3 years;
Dramatics Club; Athletics Club;
Woodworking Club; Hobby Club

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Jesse Baker
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Ina Grace Fann
Joe Lynn Henderson
Olive Alice Jeanfreau

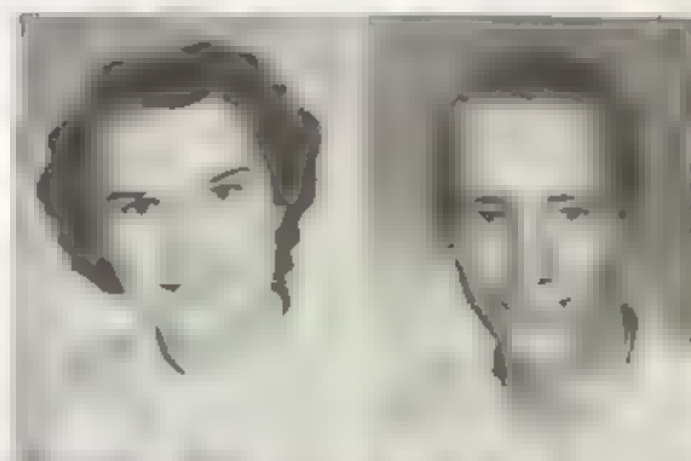
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Zelma Morris
Chris Nelson

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Donald Van Spurlock
Bobbie Jean Tullos
Mary Walker
Carolyn Sue Watson



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Charley Boley



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Ashley Bacon
Betty Sue Barclay
Lois Brown
Larry Buckley

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Harold Byron
John Edens Carter
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Ellender Cockrell

Billy Mac Cockrell
Doris Jean Deggs
Barbara Henderson
Annie Lou Hickman
Ann Huggins

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Arthur Ray Lowe
Joe Ed Manry
Pats Matlock
Jo Ann Matlock

James Riley
Royce Sanford
Louise Scott
Jalenne Smith
Molly Ann Smith

Henry Earl Sturrock
Pearline Thomason
Jim Williams
Louise Matthews



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Vice-President
Patsy Lowe



President:
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Linda Brown
Ocie Keith Burks

Murl Lynn Byron
Robert Cockrell
J. T. Courtney
Margaret Crain
Paul Davis

Pauline Dickey
Melvin Durham
Billie Ruth Fox
John Harris
James D. Henderson

Alvin Jones
Pat Knox
Clyde Lafferty
Betty Matlock
Ann Matthews

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Edward Miller
Rex Allen Moulder
Bobby Perkins
Mary Alice Purvis

Robert Rocka
Donald Rushing
Louise Sanford
Phoebe Shepherd
Rebecca Sherman

James Smelley
Isabel Smiley
Bess Splettstosser
Mary Jane Tullos
Ronnie Watson

Floyd Wheeler
Rosemary Wilder
Sam Wilson



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President
Billy Sanford



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Velma Mae Beauchamp
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Imer E. Gassiot
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Patricia Hollis
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James Norsworthy
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Jo Ann Sirman
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Katherine Stanford

Ola Mae Turner
Patsy Walker
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Billy Rex Whitley



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Jakie Sherman
Larry Smith
Bethel Standley
Thurman Standley
Earl Lynn Stanford

Maudine Thomason
Jannette Vann
J. D. Walker
Polly Ann Wylie





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First row: Linda Anderson, Mary Alice Bell, Ethel Brown, Henrietta Burks, Ola Faye Franklin, Flora Glawson, Edith Hubbard

Second row: Alfred Huff, Carol Jernigan, Barbara Kimney, James Liljequist, L. Joyce Locke, Freddie Maxey, David Miller

Third row: Syble Mullican, Bennie Pope, Betty Sage, Martha Sirman, Shelby Spain, Johnny Standley, Jerry Stanford

Fourth row: Charles Stovall, Mary Louise Tatum, Dee Turner, Jeanette Wingfield



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Principal
B. S. Sam Houston State College
M. Ed. University of Houston



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Second row: Pat McCarty, Bonnie Saxon, Linda Faye Tatum, Peggy Tullos

SIXTH GRADE

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Fourth row: Ada Vee Pope, Gracie Rocka, Jo Ann Self, Vernon Stewart, John L. Whitley



Mrs. Fred B. Manry
B B A , Sam Houston State College



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First row: Ann Andrews, Terry Barringer, Georgia Faye Beauchamp, Jerry Cockrell, Henry Davis, Johnnie Lou Fischer, Catherine Flanagan

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Third row: Winnie Harris, Olivia Hooks, Hal Hubbard, Vicki Lynn Jernigan, Douglas Johnson, Gwendolyn Kennedy, Linda Sue Lankford.

Fourth row: John Lockhart, Billy Norman, Perry Renfro, Lois Rodgers, Ada Smith, Patsy Tullos, Arthur Windsor.



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Sam Houston State
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Second row Linda Lee Richards, George Singleton, Martin Smith, Arthur Wayne Wheeler

SECOND GRADE

Third row Connie Breshere, Linda Nell Broom, Marilyn Broom, David Ferry, Opal Marie Gholson, Trellys Hunt, James Evert McClendon

Fourth row: Jimmy Norsworthy, Linda Marie Ratley, Linda Louise Shepherd, Ronnie Smith, Billy John Stanley, James Reagan Swann

Mrs. W. H. Bolton
B S. & M S. Sam Houston
State College



FIRST GRADE

First row: Barbara Ann Bearden, Lena Mae Blalock, Wanda Blalock, Sandra Kay Bulgrin, Gary Burris, Thomas Byrum, Wanda Cockrell

Second row: Juanita Ellis, Grimes Fortune, Ronald Goff, Laverne Gossett, Clarice Hickman, Gay Nell Loving, Richard Loving.

Third row: Betty Lou Matthews, James Carroll McClendon, Billy Ray McDaniel, Ira L. Mullican, Allen Ray Pope, Sandra Lou Pyle, Elizabeth Rowe.

Fourth row: Dorothy Sims, Fred Stanley, Carolyn Thomas, Larry Thompson, Bobby Gene Ward, Barbara Whitley, Danny Whitley.



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B. S., Texas State
College for Women

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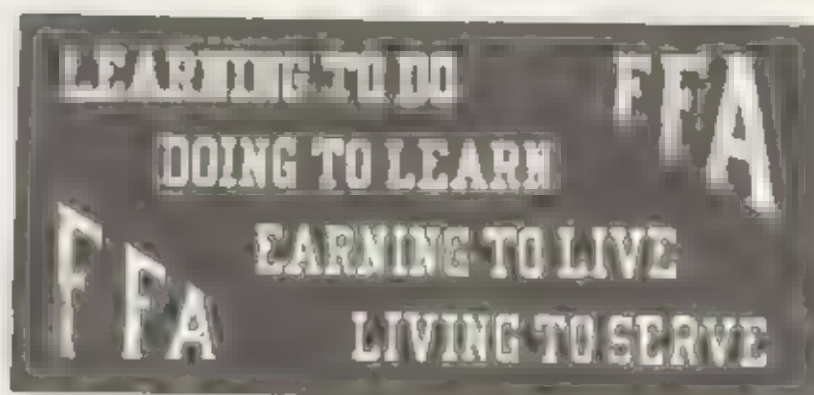
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The year 1917 was the year when the United States passed the Smith-Hughes Act. This provided for the Vocational Education Act. The purpose was to train students in farming. The law said that the school could provide the program for each of his three years in Vocational Agriculture. In 1918 the first FFA chapter was organized. It was called the Future Farmers of America. This small group has grown to be the largest group in the world. It has 110,000 members. There are 10,000 chapters with two territories. The blue and gold jackets are the symbol of the FFA. It is the organization of boys who will never leave the farm, and it is a great organization. The year 1954 marked the 35th anniversary of the Future Farmers. In celebration the United States Post Office issued a stamp recognizing the FFA. Only groups of high standards are given such recognition.

It is not only the basic facts of farming, but leadership and citizenship are developed. The student who is in the FFA is learning business and otherwise an understanding of the problems of the farmer through the FFA gives each boy an appreciation he will take in his life profession.



SUPERVISED FAIRPLAYING



VA I Class

Classroom



Clipping Heater for Show



VA II

Assembly



Building Chapter Pen and Chute



VA I

Exhibit

FAIRS & CONTESTS



Chapter Farmer Farm Skills
First in District Contest
Fourth in Area Contest



Cotton Pickers
First in District Contest
First in Area Contest



Chapter Float
Polk County Parade
First Place



Initiation of Greenhands



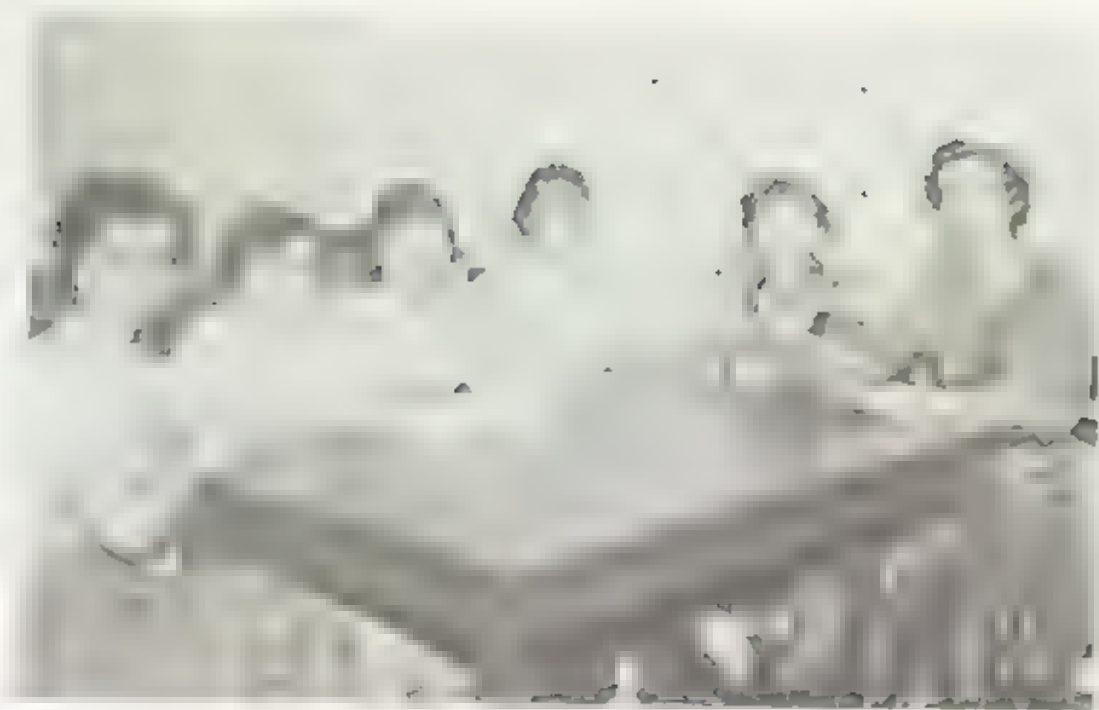
Annual Boys Show
Matlock with his pig



Shop Work
Building a self-feeder

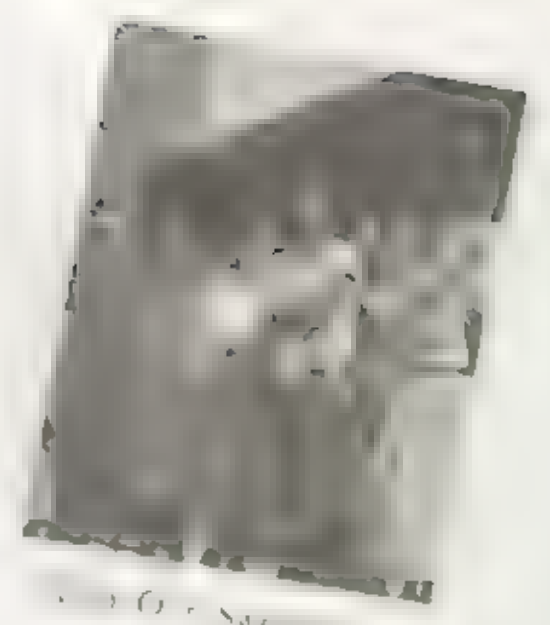
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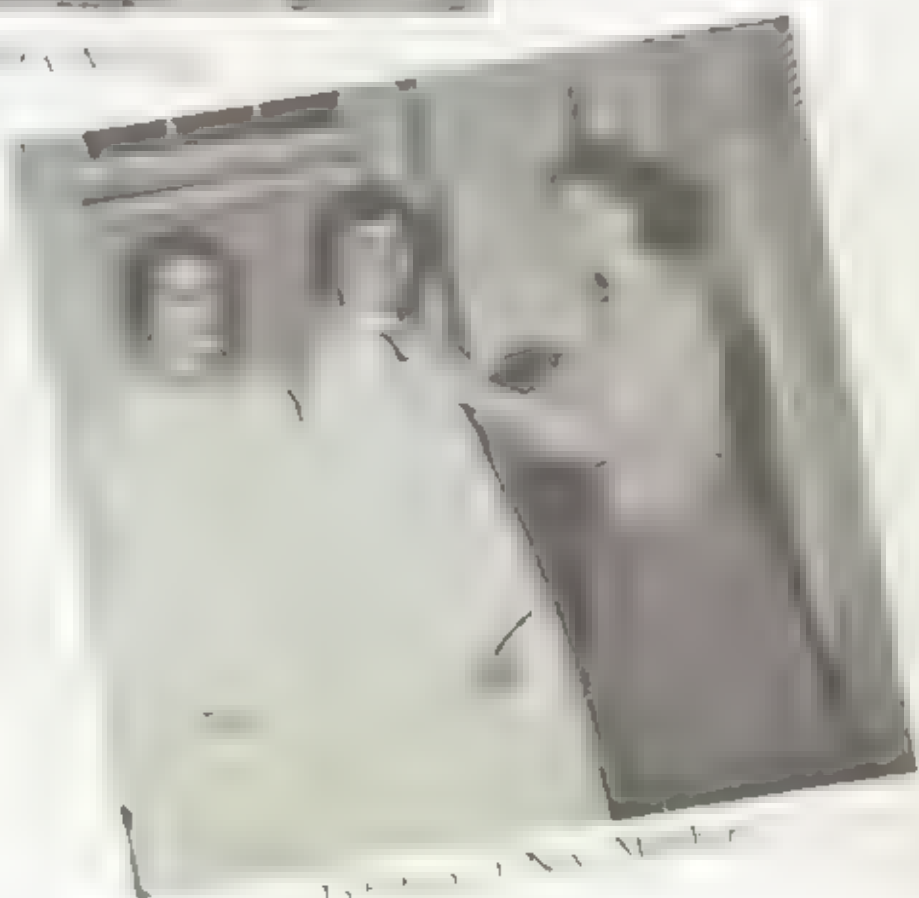
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OFFICERS

President	Annette Burks
Vice-President	Olive Jeanfreau
Secretary	Ann Marsh
Treasurer	Doris Jean Moulder
Parliamentarian	Linda Safford

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

The Rising Star Chapter of the National Honor Society is one of the most helpful organizations in our high school. Among other things some of their worth while projects have been sending Christmas cards to about 100 C. H. S. ex-students in the armed services, helping to bring the permanent record files up to date and checking book lists and orders for Mrs. Morrison. The members of the society are all willing to spend their time and effort for the benefit of the school. The membership is limited since a scholastic average of ninety is required.





In an impressive ceremony the pledges were initiated into the National Honor Society. The pledges were Chris Nelson, Charlie Boley, Bettie Ann Lazalier, and John Edens Carter.

MUSIC CLUB

In the Music Appreciation Club pupils play and study different types of classical music. They also more fully appreciate all kinds of music. Voice is also studied.



OFFICERS

President	Yvonne Brazziel
Vice-President	Marvin Slusher
Secretary-Treasurer	Ann Marsh
Reporter	Annette Burks



SPANISH CLUB

President Elizabeth Sirman
 Vice President Ernest Day
 Secretary-Treasurer Charley Boley
 Reporter Ed Wayne Barton
 Sponsor Mrs. F. D. Manry

The Spanish Club is under the direction of Mrs. F. D. Manry. She has attended a university in Mexico and knows Spanish very well. The club is learning conversations in Spanish. Although it is not a required school subject, the students are learning rapidly. The members of the club enjoy using the language among themselves.



DRIVING CLUB

The purpose of the Driving Club is to help those students who are eligible to get their driver's license. The rules of safe driving are also carefully stressed to each student. This club has become very important in school activity.

President Jack Knox
 Vice-President Margaret Buckley
 Secretary Cordelia Carter
 Treasurer Mary Alice Purvis
 Reporter Don Hunt
 Sponsor Mr. Ed Ray



WOODWORKING CLUB

President Don Splettstosser
 Vice-President Melvin Durham
 Sec.-Treas Ashley Bacon
 Reporter Billy Mac Cockrell
 Sponsor Mr. J. C. Eidson



The Woodworking Club is organized to give boys the chance to learn to construct things. Also they have a chance to learn the correct usage of power tools.

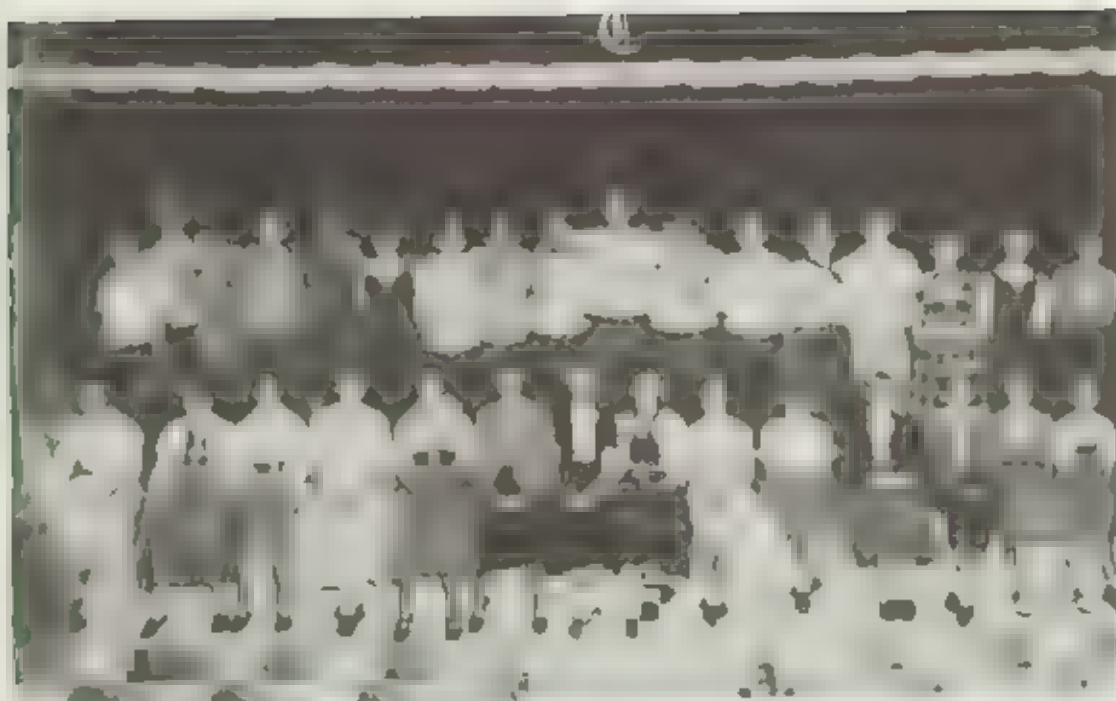


BOYS' ATHLETIC CLUB

In the Athletic Club, the pupils learn the rules for playing football, basketball, and other sports. The students also learn the rules of good conduct and sportsmanship.

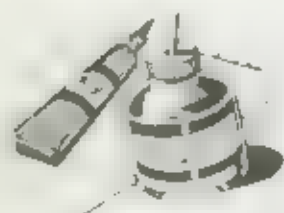


President James Mullican
 Vice-President Clyde Lafferty
 Sec.-Treas. Bethel Standley
 Reporter William Morrison
 Sponsor Mr. J. R. Cockrell

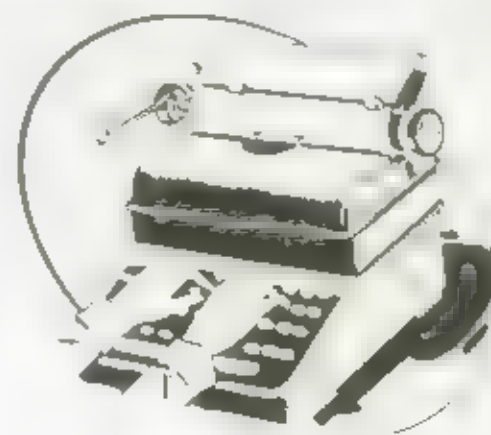


HOBBY CLUB

President Anna Lou Hickman
 Vice-President Elba Jean Alsbrooks
 Secretary-Treasurer Ann Huggins
 Reporter Ellender Cockrell
 Sponsor Mrs. L. M. Phillips



With Mrs. Phillips' capable supervision the members of this club have been making many useful things, one of which has been basket-weaving. These students receive tangible results for their activity, as well as enjoyable fellowship at school.



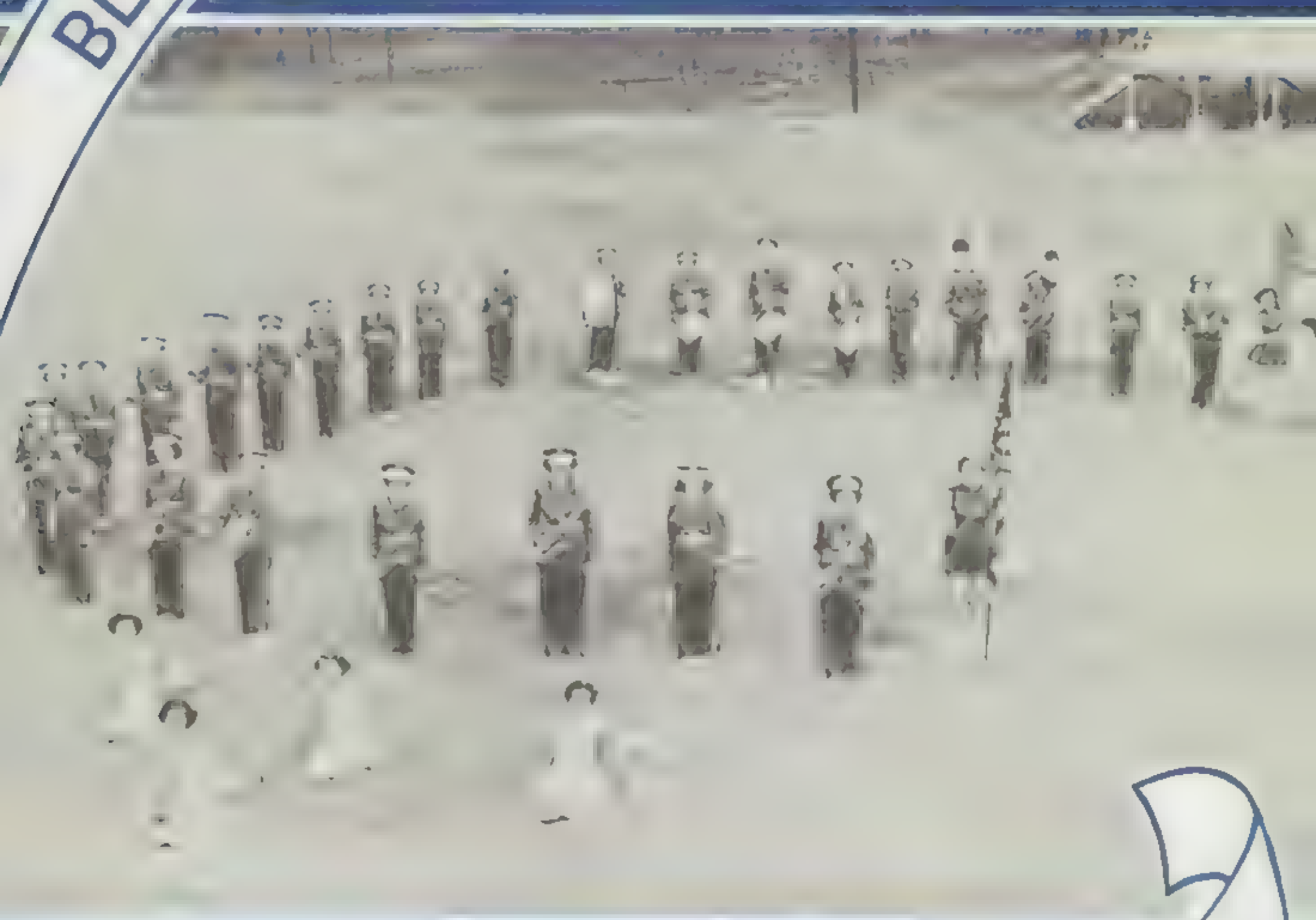
PRESS CLUB

The Press Club for '54-'55 has worked hard getting news for the CORRIGAN TIMES. Each member is also corresponding with a boy or girl in a foreign country.

President Darla Ann Jones
 Vice-President La Niece De La Fosse
 Secretary-Treasurer Nancy Standley
 Reporter Elna Ruth Burks
 Sponsor Mrs. L. C. Moore



BLUE QUILL



BAND



One of the ablest band directors Corrigan High has ever had, Mr. Renfro has led the band in a very successful season. He is a graduate of Stephen F. Austin State College, and his valuable experience has done much toward building a better band

Flagbearers: Mary Alice Purvis and Mollie Alsbrooks
 Cornets: Linda Safford, Emma Sue Smith, Ann Marsh, John Edens Carter, Patsy Dow, Jo Ann Sirman, and Joe Ed Manry
 Clarinets: Rosemary Wilder, Barbara Henderson, Ola Mae Turner, Dianne Jernigen, Patsy Cantrell, Virginia McNulty, Barbara Maxey, and Beth Richardson
 Flutes: Olive Jeanfreau and Elizabeth Sirman
 Saxophones: Annette Burks, Cordelia Carter, Margaret Buckley, Sandra Purvis, and Polly Thompson
 Baritone: Margaret Ann Crain
 Bell Lyre: Eunice Torbert
 Trombones: Darla Ann Jones and Ann Huggins
 Bass Horn: B. L. Manry and Bethel Standley
 Bass Drum: Edna Earl Hughes
 Snare Drums: Virginia Skinner, Mollie Ann Smith, and Ernest Day



OFFICERS

President Elizabeth Sirman
 Vice-President Emma Sue Smith
 Secretary-Treasurer Linda Safford
 Reporter Ann Marsh
 Sergeant-at-Arms Cordelia Carter



This fine organization has added much to our school life this year. The girls' excellent music was heard in their numerous drills throughout the school year. They were also in the December 11th Street and New Georgia Avenue parade. Their participation in the Dead Horse Spring Parade was also a great success. At a recent concert at Warren the band music was played by the girls. They also played with the Marching Band at the annual spring concert.





DRUM MAJORETTE

Elizabeth Sirman led the band as Drum Majorette for her first time this year. She showed much interest and helped in every way she could to keep up the morale of the students. Elizabeth has attended the Huntsville Twirling School for two years and was taught privately by Mr. C. R. Hackney.

MAJORETTES



Emma Sue Smith, an intelligent and capable majorette, has proven worthy of her position. She has attended two years at the Huntsville Twirling School and one year at Cleveland. Although this is her first year, she has gone far beyond our expectations. A junior, Emma Sue has one more year of twirling.

Ann Marsh has attended Huntsville and Galveston Twirling schools and has shown her amazing ability throughout the past year. She, too, has had great interest in the band and in return has received the praise of each and every band member. Ann is a junior, also, and is looking forward to another fruitful year.

Mollie Ann Smith, one of the three majorettes, has enjoyed a very successful year. She attended Huntsville Twirling School last summer. Mollie Ann added much spirit to our band this year and won the honor and friendship of every band student. She is a sophomore and has two more years of being out in front of the Corrigan band.



At Contest



On Parade At
Nacogdoches



At a Pop Rally



Christmas Concert





Forward March



Jam Session



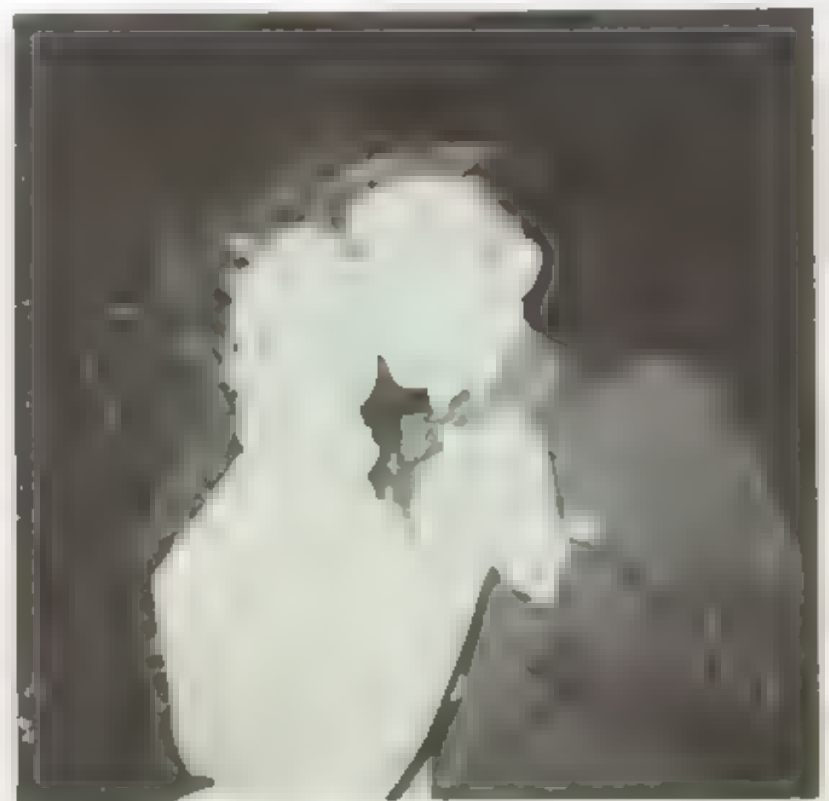
Old Pals



At A Game



Sweethearts





BLUE QUILL

PEP SQUAD



CHEERLEADERS



Betty Lutzler



Margaret



Patricia



Mary Walker

SPONSORS

Mrs. E. M. Jones



Mrs. C. H. R.

OFFICERS

President Phobe Shepherd

Vice-President Arleen Purvis

Secretary-Treasurer Jalenne Smith

Reporter Doris Jean Deggs



In the pep rallies on Thursday nights and Friday mornings led by the cheerleaders, the pep squad added their constant support. They were fine representatives of our school at all the football games and had a great deal to do with keeping up the morale of the players. Their splendid attitude played a great part in winning the district Football Sportsmanship Trophy.





At A Pep Rally



Homecoming



Yes Team!



Our Manager



Friends Across The Way

BLUE QUILL



CHAPEL PROGRAM



SENIOR CHAPEL PROGRAMS

A pantomime of current hits was presented by the seniors in one of their assembly programs. Several scenes such as the one above were enacted, and the student audience guessed the identity of the songs represented. Prizes were given to the winners. Other programs given by the senior class include "Truth or Consequences" and "The Stars and Stripes."

A delightful caricature of famous persons of history was one of the junior class assembly programs this year. Queen Isabella, Pocahontas, Paul Revere, Sir Walter Raleigh, and Napoleon were portrayed by members of the class. Other outstanding presentations were a humorous review of historical events in 1954 ("This Ole World") and "Ma at a Basketball Game."

JUNIOR CHAPEL PROGRAMS



SOPHOMORE CHAPEL PROGRAMS



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Lonesome Polecat



FRESHMAN CHAPEL PROGRAMS



EIGHTH GRADE CHAPEL PROGRAMS

The eighth grade has presented a number of enjoyable assembly programs this year. Their class has a great deal of talent, and all the students are willing to help out in any way they are needed. "The Minister's Mistake", (shown above), was a very interesting program, and the parts were well acted.

The seventh grade presented several enjoyable assembly programs, among which was "When the Hurlyburly's Done", a play about a hidden treasure guarded by witches. This thrilling melodrama climaxed when it was discovered that the suspected villain was the hero instead.

This class also presented a very good Christmas program, of which one of the highlights was Patsy Cantrell singing "I Saw Mamma Kissing Santa Claus."

SEVENTH GRADE CHAPEL PROGRAMS





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ACTIVITIES



MORNING WATCH

The Morning Watch, led by Olive Alice Jeanfreau, meets each morning at 8 o'clock for a fifteen minute devotional service. The students sing songs, and one of them gives a brief message. Everyone who has attended the program will agree that it is a very good way to start our school day. In a joint Christmas program with the band, students representing the Morning Watch read the Christmas story from the Bible and gave an inspiring devotional.

FLAG-RAISING CEREMONY

The flag raising ceremony is a new program that has been added to our everyday school life. At 8:20 in the morning the bugle is sounded by Linda Sue Safford, and, as the flag is raised, the students rise and repeat the Pledge of Allegiance. This program helps us to pay proper respect to our flag and to our country.





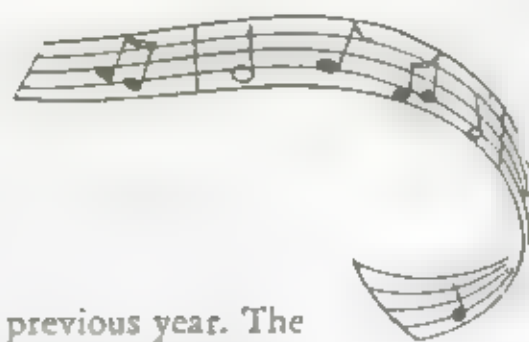
GRAMMAR SCHOOL CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

In their annual Christmas program the grammar school students presented two fine plays: "The House of Christmas" and "Christmas Is a Miracle". The first was a splendid presentation with colorful costumes. In the older children's play the true spirit of Christmas was depicted, and the Nativity was enacted. The whole community looks forward to these Christmas plays, and everyone enjoyed them this year.





BAND FORMAL



The annual band formal was a greater success than in any previous year. The formal was held at the Cor-Grove Club on December 10. There were approximately 130 persons present, including the parents of the band members. For the first time, the grammar school band students were invited. The club was beautifully decorated in blue and silver, and everyone enjoyed a pleasant night of dancing and games. Delicious refreshments were served.



Yvonne Brazziel, the 1954 Football Sweetheart, was presented by Coach Cockrell. She was wearing a dress made of rose velvet and navy taffeta



FOOTBALL BANQUET

The annual football banquet was given in honor of the football players and to present award jackets to the lettermen. The banquet hall was decorated with a small goal post covered with blue and white streamers. The speaker's table was centered with a blue flower and white flower tree ornamented with small goalposts. Mr. F. D. Mery presented the District Sportsmanship Trophy to Mr. John Carter, Coach Cockrell and Captain Jerry Massey, representatives of the town, football team, and school. Excellent musical entertainment was furnished by Charles Little, and a fine meal was served.



Mr. Robert Barfield was the speaker at the banquet. Mr. Barfield is the freshman coach at Baylor University. In his speech he told about the requirements a player should have in order to be an outstanding athlete.



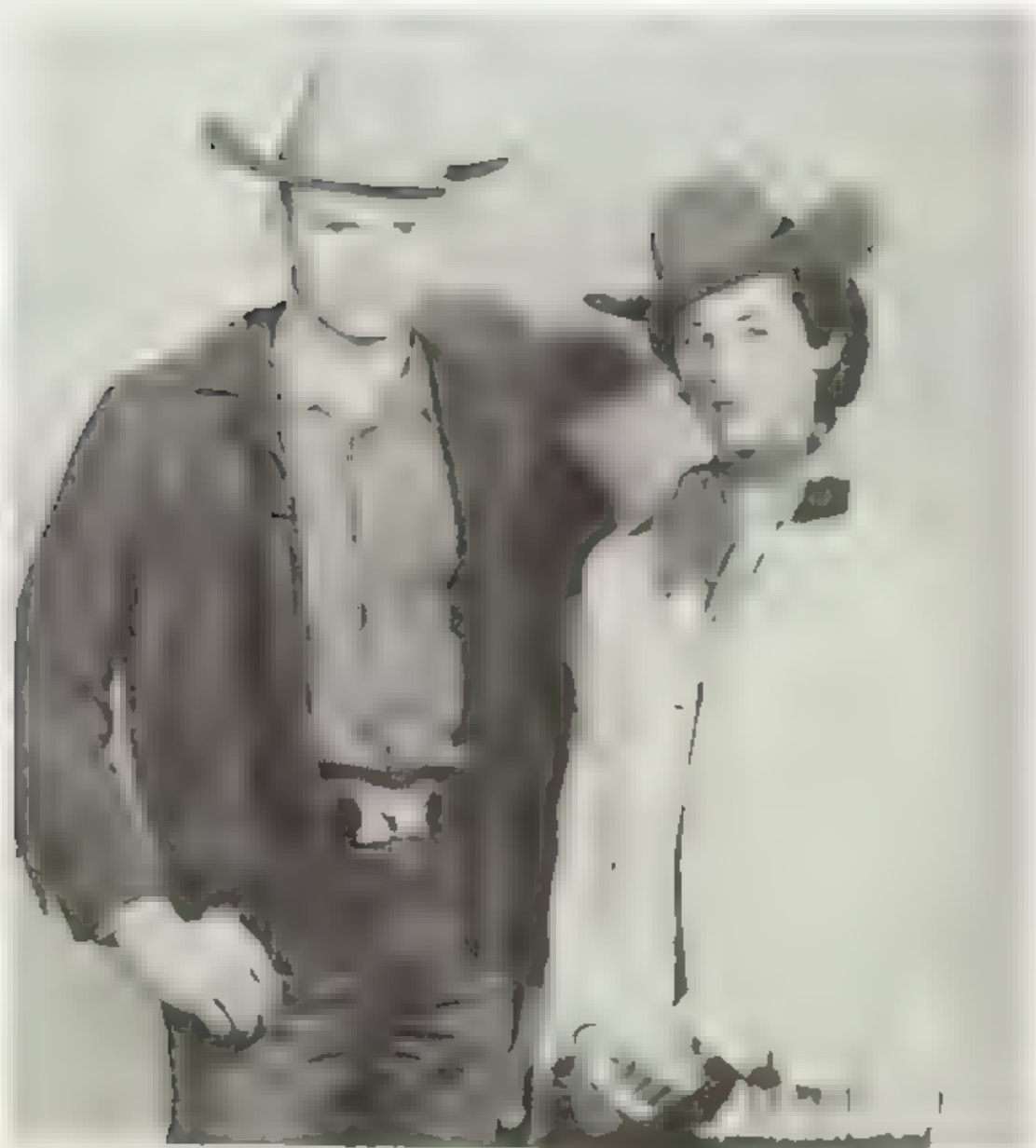
VALENTINE SOCK DANCE

A Valentine Sock Dance was held at the high school on Thursday evening. A beautifully decorated room was prepared for the occasion. Miss Marsh, Miss Venable, and Miss L. R. Cockrell. A contest for the best decorated socks was held and refreshments were served.



"MR. AND MISS SADIE HAWKINS"

Linda Brown
Lynn Edward Miller



WESTERN DAY KING AND QUEEN

Corry Jones
Doris Jean Moulder



In one of the monthly meetings the speakers were, left to right: Miss Ina Mae Townsend and Mrs. Taylor of Lufkin and Dr. Ed Williamson, Dean of Men at the University of Houston

PARENT-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION

The Parent-Teacher Association of Corrigan is one of the most vital links between the school and the community. The PTA engages in and supports many activities each year that improve the school program and promote better understanding between parents and teachers. Some of this year's functions have included the annual Halloween Carnival, study courses and panels.

The 1954-55 PTA officers are

President	Mrs. Chris Nelson, Jr
Vice President	Mrs. I. P. Renfro
Secretary	Mrs. E. L. Knox
Treasurer	Fred Sime
Historian	Mrs. W. J. Morrison
Parliamentarian	J. C. Eidson

Members of the PTA are always a great asset to any school, and the Corrigan PTA is no exception.



BLUE QUILL



FAVORITES



Senior Girl F...
POLLY THOMSON

Senior Boy F...
HARRY MAXY

SENIOR FAVORITES

MOST POPULAR GIRL

Shirley Rushing

MOST POPULAR BOY

Corry Thomas Jones

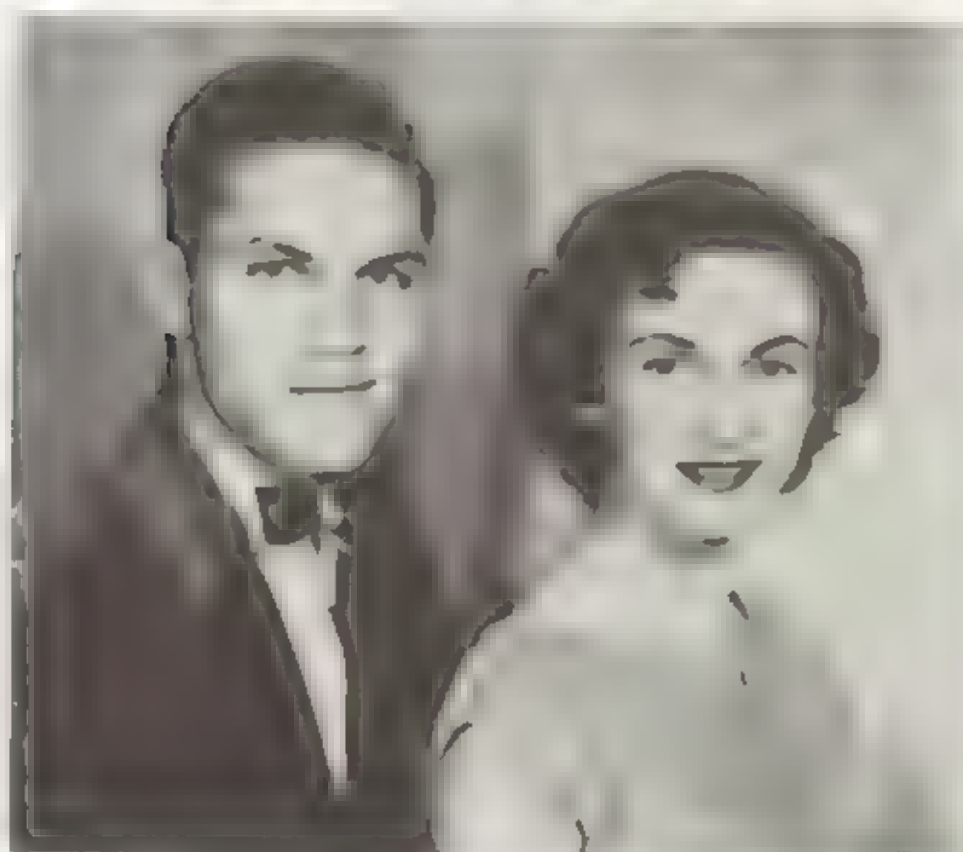


MOST BEAUTIFUL GIRL

Yvonne Brazziel

MOST HANDSOME BOY

Jerry Maxey

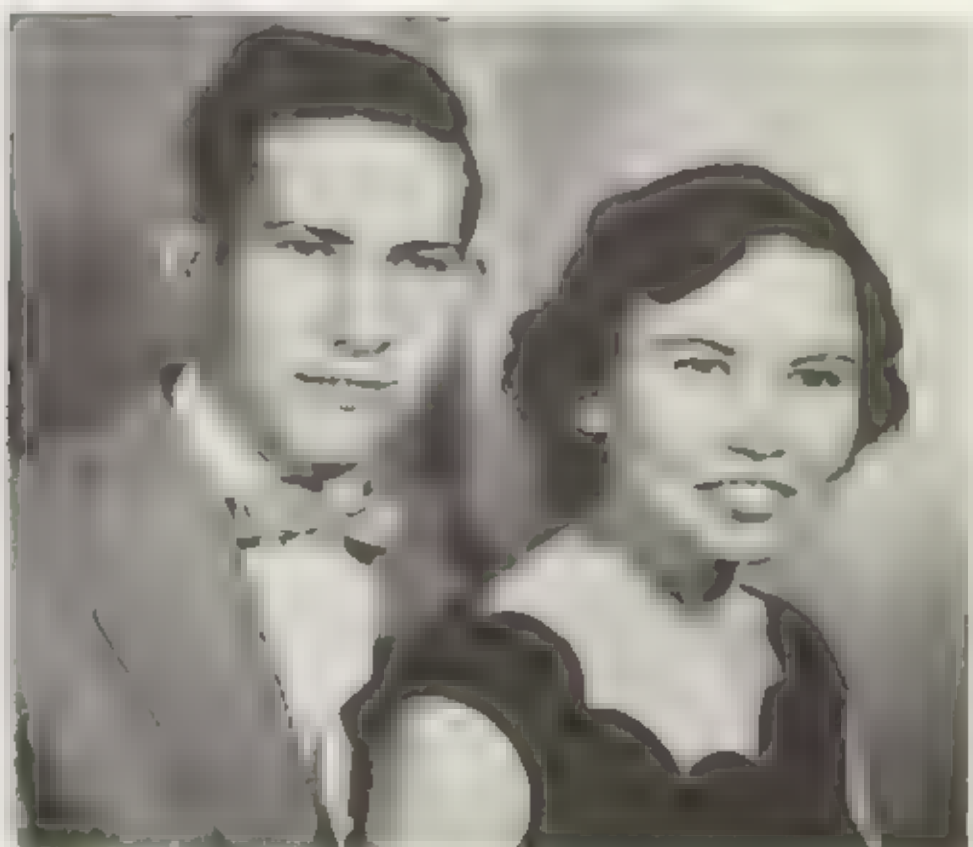


MOST REPRESENTATIVE GIRL

Annette Burks

MOST REPRESENTATIVE BOY

Marvin C. Slusher





Junior Girl Favorite
ANN MARSH

Junior Boy Favorite
DONALD VAN SPURLOCK

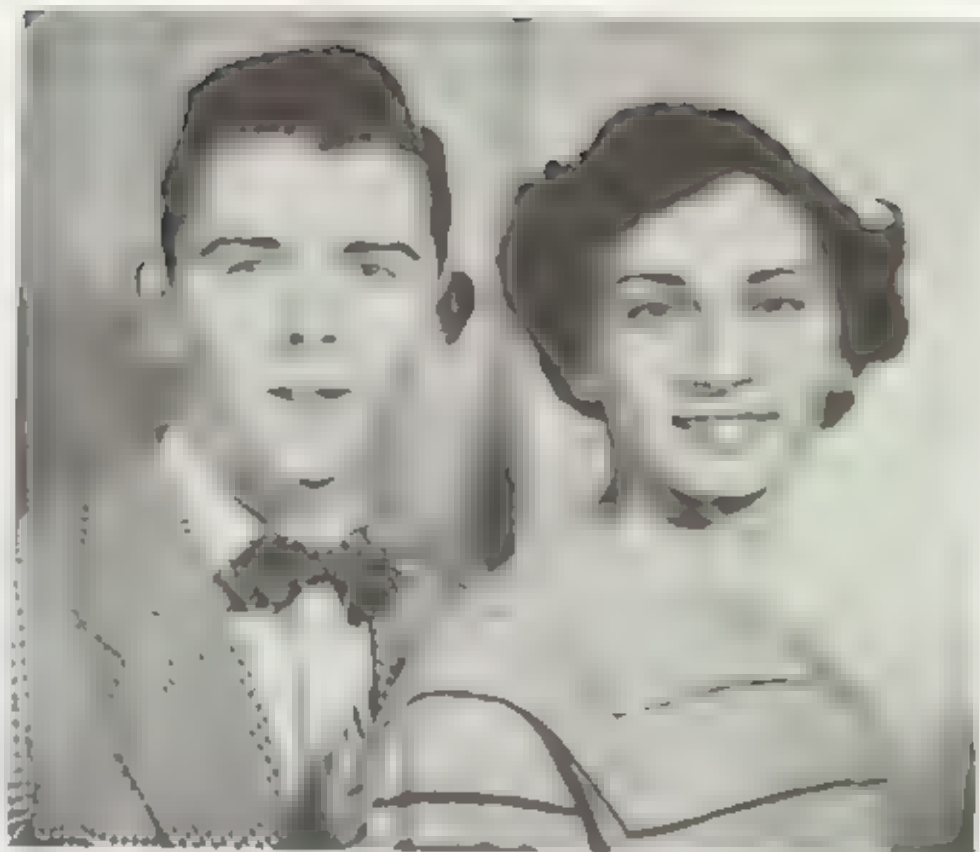
JUNIOR FAVORITES

MOST POPULAR GIRL

Emma Sue Smith

MOST POPULAR BOY

Edwayne Barton

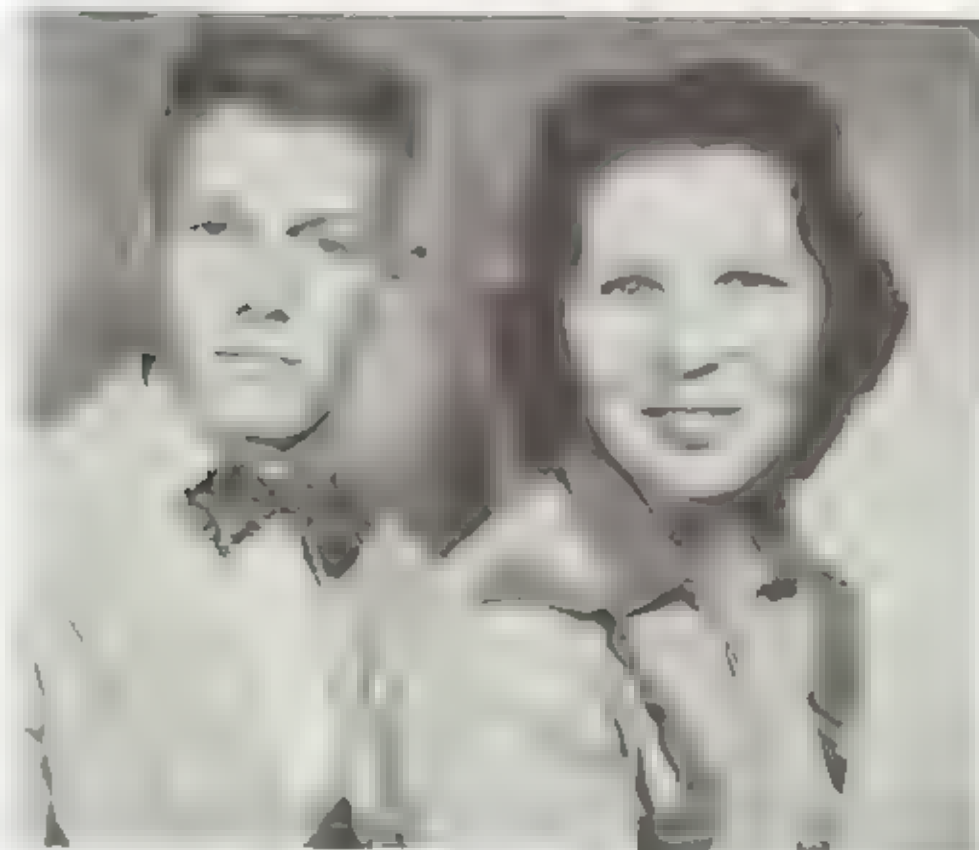


MOST BEAUTIFUL GIRL

Mary Walker

MOST HANDSOME BOY

Bob Bergman



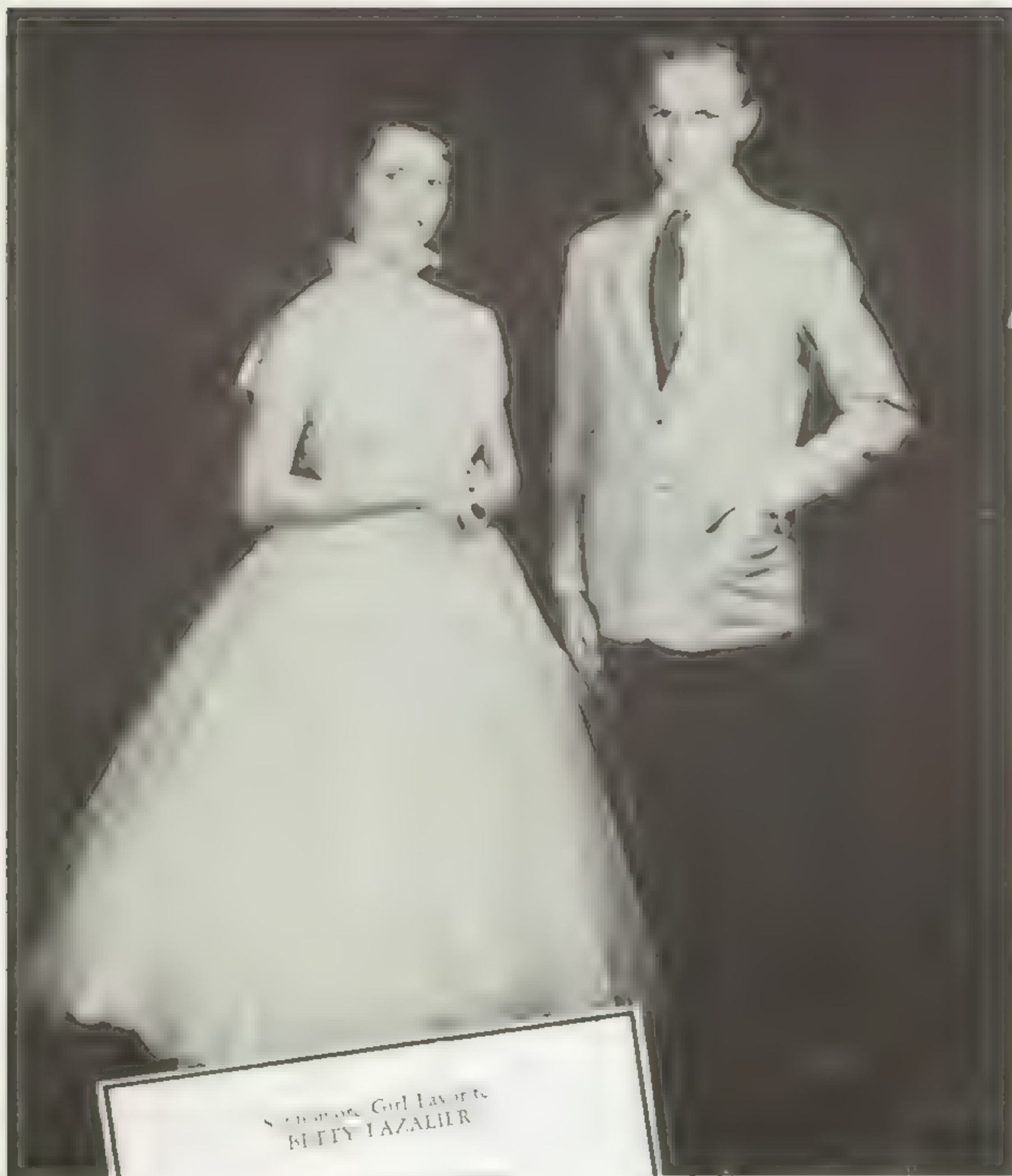
MOST REPRESENTATIVE GIRL

Joyce Matlock

MOST REPRESENTATIVE BOY

Chris Nelson





Sophomore Girl Favorite
BETTY LAZALI

Sophomore Boy Favorite
JOE BRITT

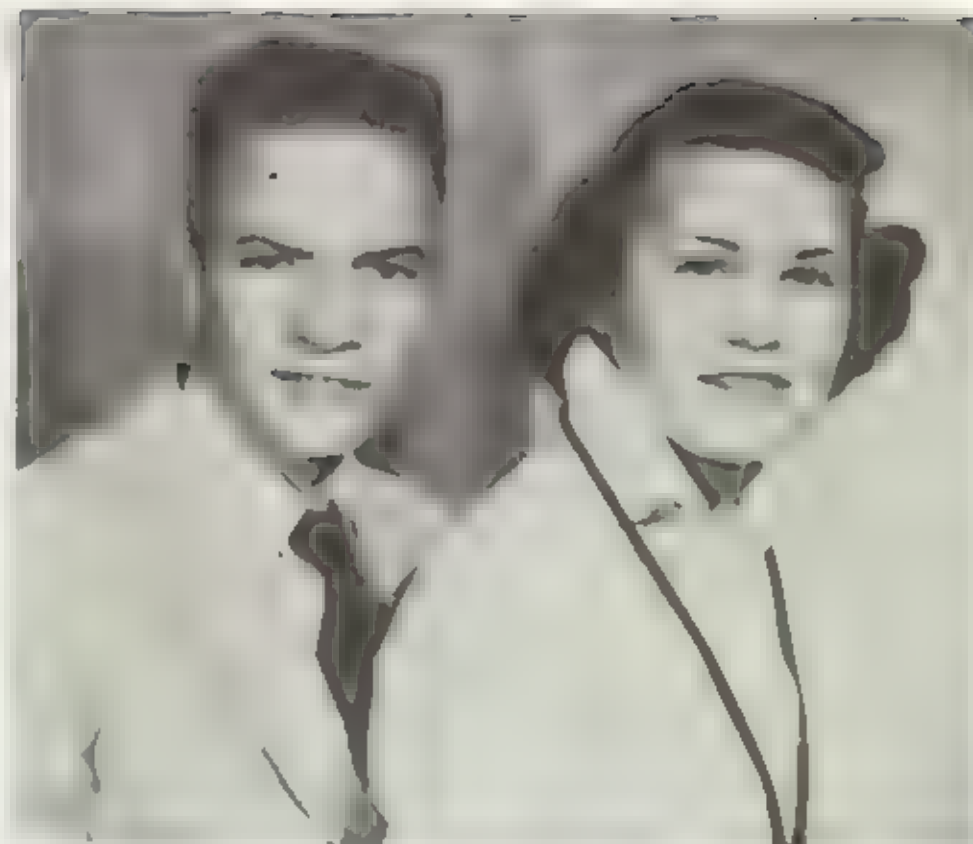
SOPHOMORE FAVORITES

MOST POPULAR GIRL

Lois Brown

MOST POPULAR BOY

Joe Brett

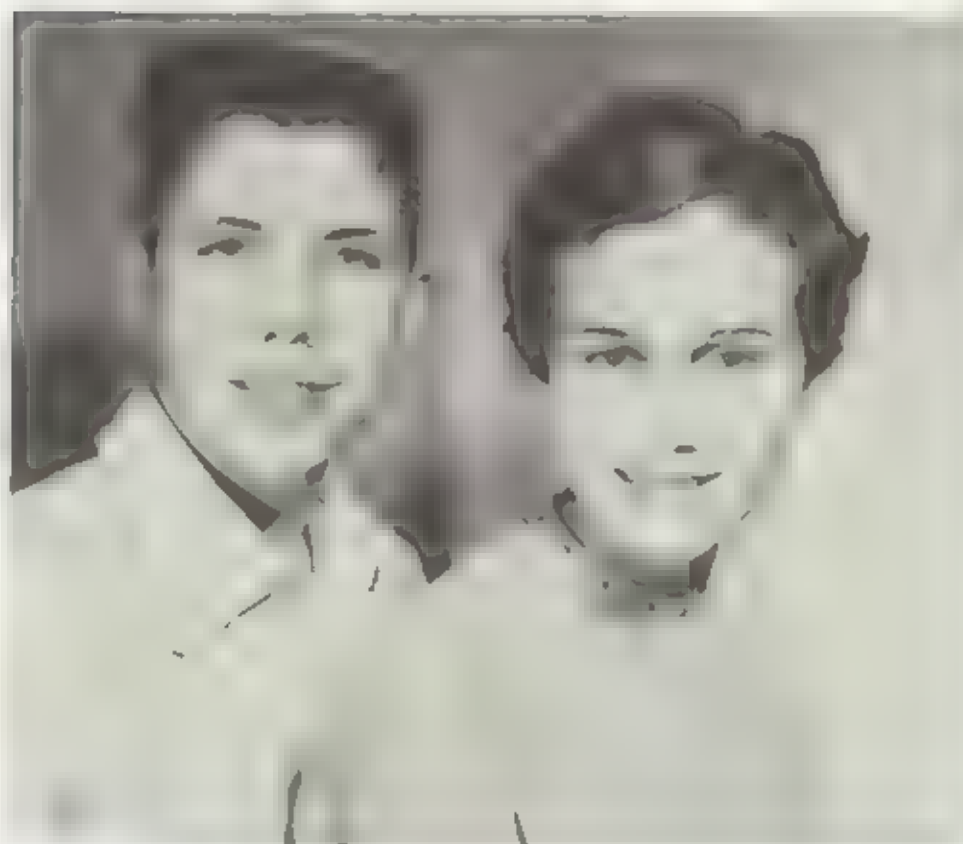


MOST BEAUTIFUL GIRL

Molly Ann Smith

MOST HANDSOME BOY

Arthur Ray Lowe



MOST REPRESENTATIVE GIRL

Annie Lou Hickman

MOST REPRESENTATIVE BOY

Henry Earl Sturrocks





Freshman Girl Favorite
POLLY DICKLEY

Freshman Boy Favorite
BILLY SPILTSIOSSER

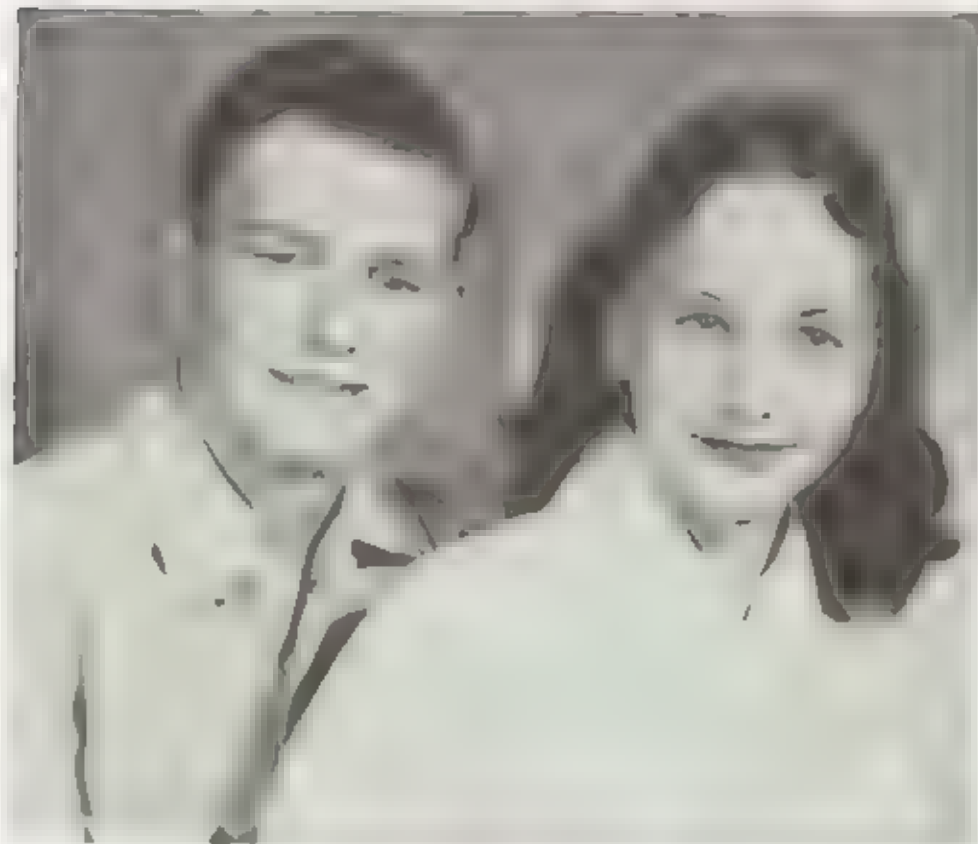
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Mary Alice Purvis

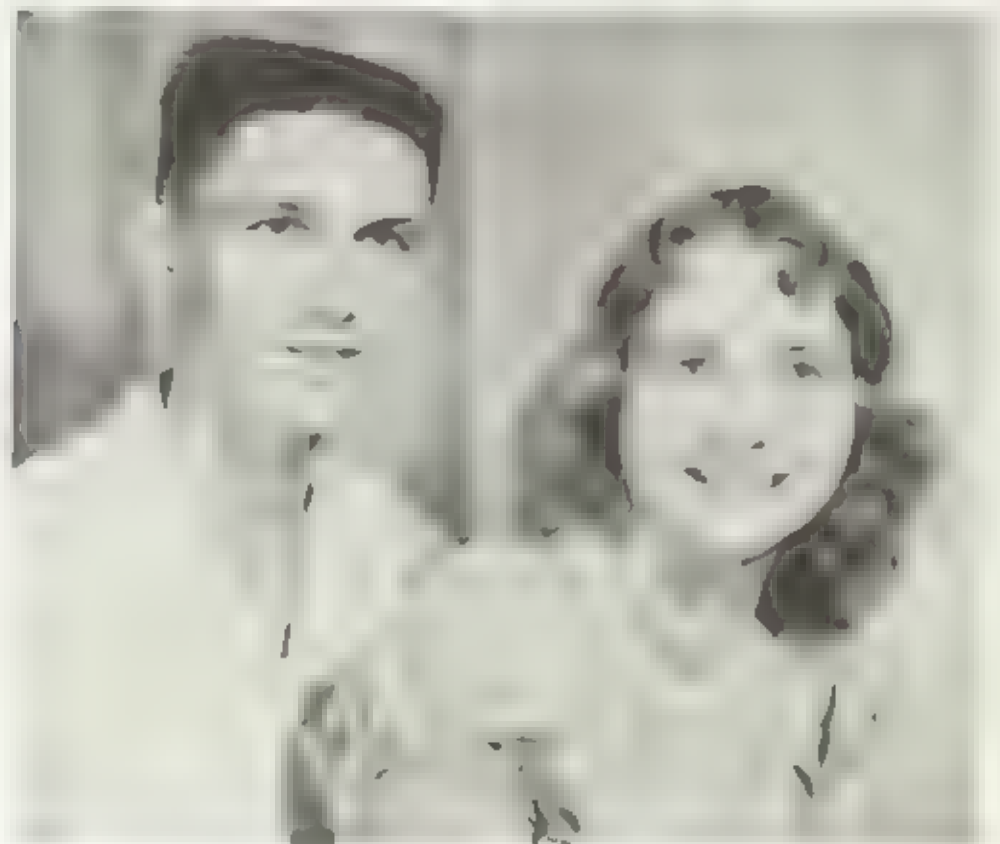
MOST POPULAR BOY
Sam Wilson



MOST BEAUTIFUL GIRL
Linda Brown
MOST HANDSOME BOY
Alvin Jones



MOST REPRESENTATIVE GIRL
Betty Matlock
MOST REPRESENTATIVE BOY
Pat Knox





1st Gr. Girl
CORDILLA CARTER

1st Gr. Boy
JAMES BLALOCK

EIGHTH GRADE FAVORITES

MOST POPULAR GIRL

Patricia Hollis

MOST POPULAR BOY

Don Splettstosser



MOST BEAUTIFUL GIRL

Paula Adams

MOST HANDSOME BOY

James Mullican



MOST REPRESENTATIVE GIRL

Cordelia Carter

MOST REPRESENTATIVE BOY

Tommy Nelson



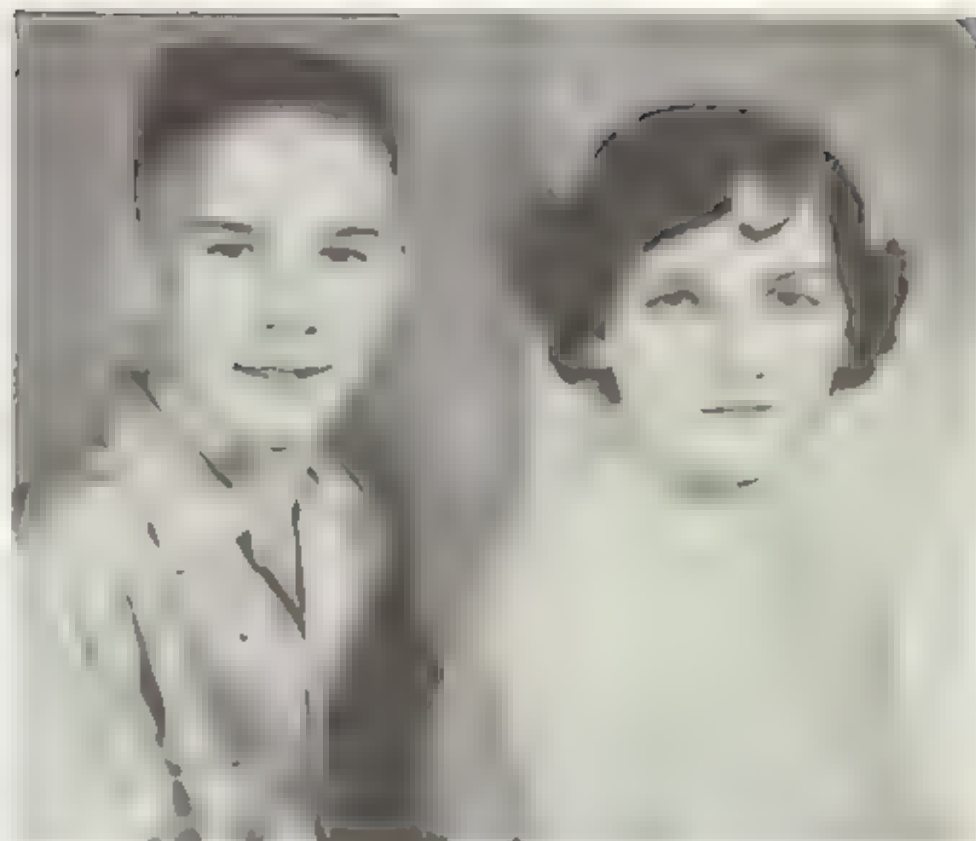


Young Girl
VINCE STANDLEY

Young Boy
BURTON SAILER

SEVENTH GRADE FAVORITES

MOST POPULAR GIRL
Nancy Standley
MOST POPULAR BOY
William Morrison



MOST BEAUTIFUL GIRL
Patsy Ray Cantrell
MOST HANDSOME BOY
Jud Homer David



MOST REPRESENTATIVE GIRL
La Niece De La Fosse
MOST REPRESENTATIVE BOY
Ernest Day





Ann Marsh

F. F. A. SWEETHEART



Olive Alice Jeanfreau

F. F. A. TYPIST-ARTIST



Betty Lazal
Robert Chisolm

**BAND
SWEETHEARTS**



Mary C. Smith
John M. Smith

F. H. A. SWEETHEARTS



GIRLS' BASKETBALL SWEETHEARTS

Mary Smith
Peggy Kline
Cathy Perry

BOYS' BASKETBALL SWEETHEART

Polly Thomson





YVONNE BRAZILL
MADRID

FOOTBALL SWEETHEART CANDIDATES



Doris Moulder
Senior



Olive Jeanfreau
Junior



Elizabeth Striman
Junior

Betty Tucker
Sophomore



Betty Tucker
Senior





"MISS VALENTINE"

Ann Marsh

DAUGHTERS OF
THE AMERICAN
REVOLUTION
GOOD CITIZENS AWARD

Annette Burks





Duchess to Diamond Festival
YVONNE BRAZILL

BLUE QUILL



SPORTS

DEDICATION



The staff of the 1955 Blue Quill is very happy to dedicate the Athletic Section of this year's book to our friend, Dick Skelton. Dick has been employed as a bus driver and custodian by Corrington Schools for fourteen years. During that time he has driven the team to every game to which they have traveled by bus. Dick is a loyal and devoted supporter of all Bullhead athletic teams as well as a personal friend to every student of C. H. S.



Back in 1938-39, Charlie Spain was a scrappy end for the Bulldogs. He is remembered as one of the fiercest competitors to ever wear the Blue and White. Though several seasons have passed since then, Charlie has remained as much a Bulldog as ever. He is a loyal supporter of all Bulldog teams and is always ready to help in any way possible. He has been of valuable service to the team and fans by operating the down and yards-to-go section of the scoreboard.

In any discussion of great Bulldogs, the name of Fred Smith is bound to come up. Fred led the 1942 team to a tie for the district championship. During that season he set the all-time team record for pass completions and for touchdown passes. Just as he was an outstanding Bulldog, Fred has continued to be an outstanding supporter of Bulldog teams. For the past two years he has operated the scoreboard and is the official timekeeper for all home games. As in everything else he does a fine job and his efforts on behalf of the Bulldogs are appreciated by everyone.



Leonard Slusher has been vitally interested in the Bulldogs since he moved to Corrigan several years ago. He has always been ready to help the team or any individual player in any way possible. The wonderful banquet given the team each year by him and Katheline has become a highlight of the season for the boys. Leonard took pictures of the games this year for the annual and did everything else he could to help and support the Bulldogs.



DeWitt DuVall has been a friend and supporter of the Bulldogs ever since his graduation from C. H. S. in 1936. An Bulldog, he has been a loyal follower of the team as well as a personal friend of the players. In his present capacity as a member of the Board of Education, DeWitt is vitally interested in the betterment of the athletic program and facilities. He is always present at pep rallies and never misses a game if he can possibly help it. Bulldog teams are grateful for the type of loyalty and support DeWitt represents.

COACHES

A very valuable member of the faculty, Coach J. R. Cockrell has been coaching Bulldog football teams for the past seven years. In that period of time his boys have won 35 games, lost 29, and tied 5. He is to be commended for this excellent record.

Coach Edward Ray, in his three years at Corrigan, has as his total 15 Bulldog victories, and 15 losses. He has done much to train a splendid team and to teach good sportsmanship.



MANAGERS

The managers of the football team, Rex Moulder and Billy Sanford, always do their best to aid the Bulldogs in any way possible. Besides being loyal fans, these boys were on hand at all times to render their best service for the football team. The Bulldogs sincerely appreciate their efforts.



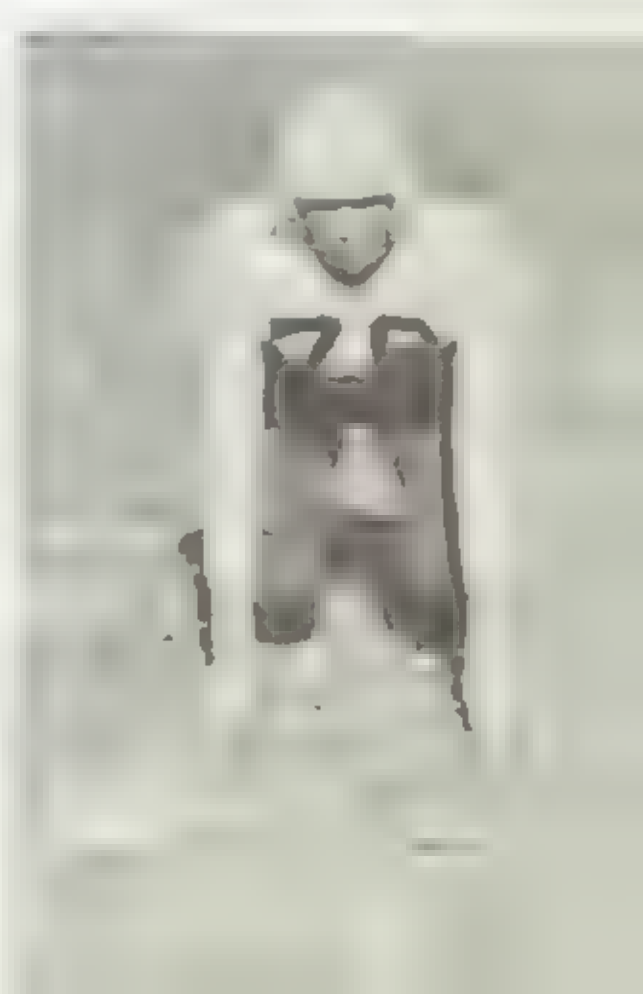
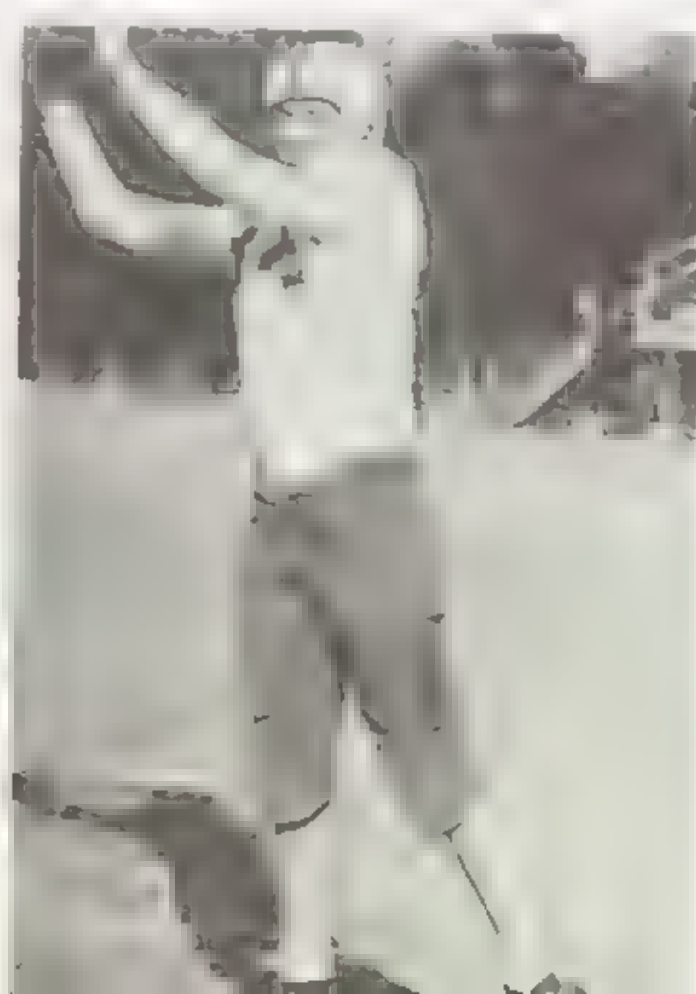
The Bulldogs opened the 1954 season at home against the Lufkin "B" Panthers. It was evident early that the Panthers were no match for the Blue and White. On the strength of brilliant running by Buddy Chisolm and Henry D. Pope, the Bulldogs led at half-time by 27-0. Bulldog reserves played most of the second half and the game was more even. The Panthers could manage only one score while the Bulldogs were adding two more to bring the final score to 40-6.



Jerry Maxey, Senior Guard: Jerry a co-captain and member of the all-district team, is one of the best linemen to wear the Blue and White. A member of the first or second all-district team every one of his four years at C. H. S., Jerry has left a record that will be an inspiration to Bulldogs for years to come.

Elmer Knox, Senior End: Elmer, one of the co-captains of the team, was a standout in the Bulldog line, both on offense and defense. His great catches kept the Bulldogs rolling on many occasions and won him recognition on the second all-district team.

Corry Jones, Senior Tackle: Corry, a fine offensive tackle and a demon on defense at linebacker, proved himself to be a great competitor. He is another Bulldog whose graduation will leave a gap almost impossible to fill.





The second game of the season saw the Bulldogs play host to the Orange 'B' Tigers. The locals jumped into a commanding lead early in the game with Cleo Purvis and Buddy Chisolm leading the offense and Jerry Maxey and Donald Spurlock spearheading the defense. The Bulldog reserves again saw plenty of action as the final score read 15-14 in favor of Corrigan.

Cleo Purvis, Senior Quarterback. One of the finest competitors ever to play for Corrigan, Cleo was a fine leader on the field. His ball handling and fine defensive play earned him a spot on the second all district team, and his spirit and determination earned him a spot in the hearts of Bulldog fans.

Henry D. Pope, Senior Fullback: A fine runner and punter, Henry D. was a very vital part of the Bulldogs offense as well as a fine defensive halfback. In his four years of high school, Henry D. has made outstanding contribution to athletics at C. H. S. His graduation will leave a vacancy that will be hard to fill.

Marvin C. Slusher, Senior Halfback: A clever runner and a good pass receiver, Marvin was an invaluable part of the Bulldog offense. He will be best remembered for his blocking and tackling, since he rarely faced an opponent as small as he was. Despite this handicap, Marvin was always happiest when, "the leather was popping."



The Kountze Lions invaded Bulldog Stadium for the third game of the season and were swamped 10-6 by a great show of offensive power by the Blue and White. For the third week in a row the Bulldogs were untested as the reserves again played a major part of the second half. Offensive stars for the Bulldogs were Cleo Purvis and Henry D. Pope. B. L. Manry and Elmer Knox were outstanding in the line, both on offense and defense.



Jack Knox, Senior Center Jack, a steady dependable performer, always gave his very best in every game. His value to the team was dramatically illustrated when the Bulldog offense practically collapsed when Jack was injured in the final game of the season.

James Spletstosser, Senior End: James lettered his first year for the Bulldogs and did a good job every game. He will be missed when the Bulldogs take field next fall.

B. L. Manry, Senior Tackle: The fine play of B. L. was another reason why many people considered the Bulldog line the best in the school's history. A sure backer and a deadly tackler, he was always in the thick of the action up front.



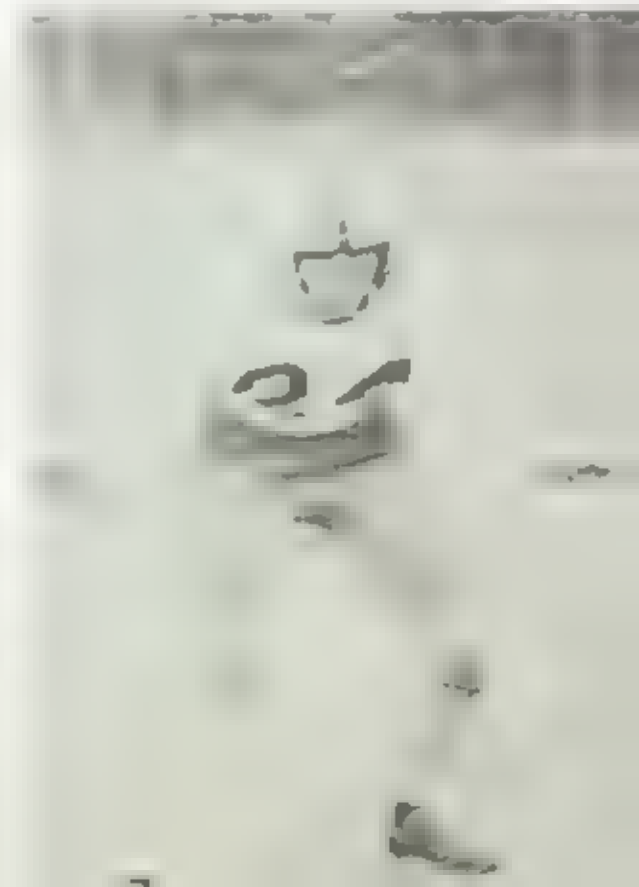


The Bulldogs received their first severe test of the season when they tangled with the Colmesneil team on their home field in the fourth game of the season. The Colmesneil team boasted a very rugged defense and enough offensive power to give Bulldog fans several anxious moments in the first half. After halting several Colmesneil drives, the Bulldogs managed to score late in the second quarter on a beautiful scamper by Marvin Slusher. In the second half the Bulldogs added two more scores to make it 20-0. Starring for the Bulldogs on the offense were Marvin Slusher and co-captain Limer Knox. The defense was led by co-captain Jerry Maxcy and Corry Jones.

Billy Rice, Senior Tackle Billy was a dependable Bulldog who always gave his best. He never missed a practice session and his courage and determination was an inspiration to his team-mates.

Thomas Lowe, Senior Guard Thomas, though he did not see much action, was always ready to do his best. His fine spirit and hustle made him a valuable member of the team.

Eugene Matlock, Senior Back Eugene, another senior who did not play too much, gave his best at all times. He will be missed by next year's team.

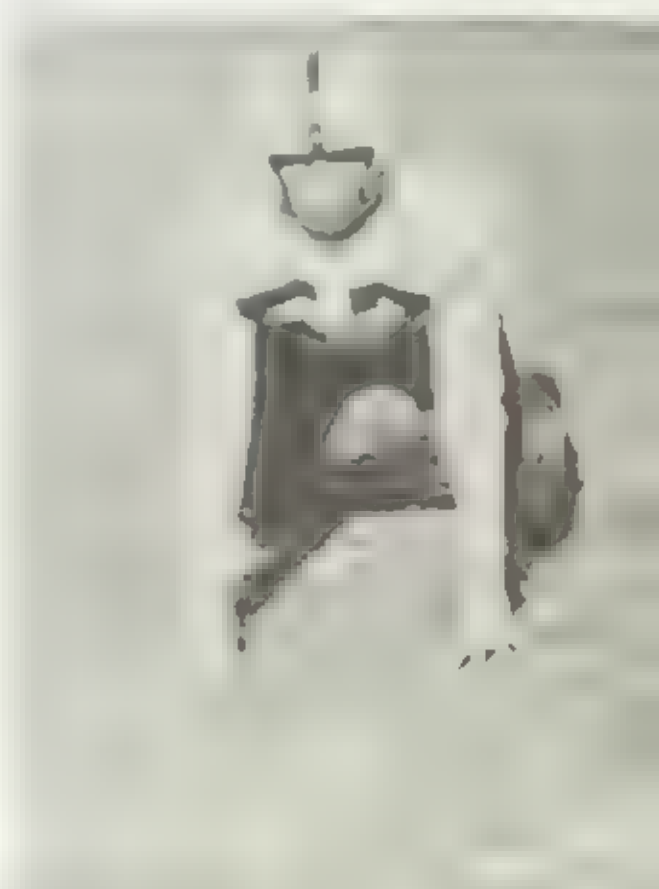


In their first game away from home the Bulldogs went to Chester to take on their traditional rivals, the Chester Yellowjackets. The "Jackets" put up a stubborn defense and held the Bulldogs at bay the first quarter. Led by Buddy Chisolm and Marvin Slasher, the Bulldogs scored late in the first period and added two more in the second quarter to lead 21-0 at halftime. Bulldog reserves saw considerable action in the second half as the score mounted to 39-0.

Chris Nelson, Junior End-
Chris, a very good prospect, has been bothered by an injury and didn't report for the team until mid season. However, he will be ready to go the first day next fall and great things are expected of him.

Edwayne Barton, Junior Half back: Edwayne is a very hard runner and a capable blocker. He is expected to be a starter next season either at halfback or fullback.

Donald Spurlock, Junior Guard: Donald was elected to the all-district team for his great defensive play. He enlarged the territory defended by middle guard from sideline to sideline and opposing ball carriers had to contend with him before making any yardage anywhere. He is expected to lead the youthful Bulldog line next season.



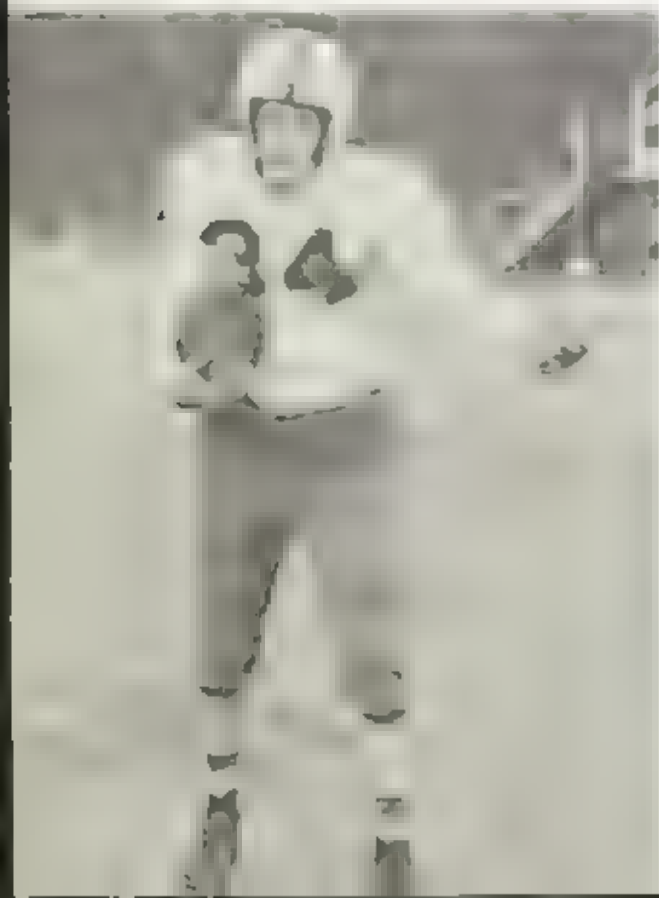


District 19 A game of the season traveled to Groveton and received their defeat of the year. The Indians scored first pass play, but the Bulldogs tied the score late in the first half after a pass play interception by [unclear]. With only seconds left in the half the Bulldogs went ahead 13-6 on a long pass play. In the second half, superior Groveton manpower began to tell on the Bulldogs, and the Indians pulled away for a final score of 31-6.

J. H. Bergman, Junior Back. He was another Bulldog that got to the start. However, he progressed to the strength to the backfield next year.

John Edens Carter, Sophomore Guard: John Edens is a spirited, determined lineman who is expected to be a mainstay of the Bulldogs next year.

Buddy Chisolm, Freshman Halfback: One of the highlights of the season was the exceptional play of the "Moscow Comet." He broke the Bulldog record with 94 points and was a unanimous choice for the all district team. Buddy is expected to lead the Bulldogs to victory in the years to come.



The Bulldogs met the Trinity Tigers in the rain and mud at the Bulldog Stadium and came away on the short end of a 19-7 score.

The Tigers scored first on a pass play to lead 6-0 early in the game. Both teams spent the remainder of the first half trying to hold on to the slippery pigskin. The Bulldogs had several sustained drives halted by "fumbleitis" deep in enemy territory. After the intermission the Tigers scored again, and the Bulldogs made the score 13-7 on the strength of some great running by Buddy Chisolm. The Tigers added another score late in the game, but the Blue and White could not overcome their several losses of the ball by fumbles to get back in the scoring column. B. L. Manry, James Splettstosser and Donald Spurlock were outstanding on defense for the Bulldogs.



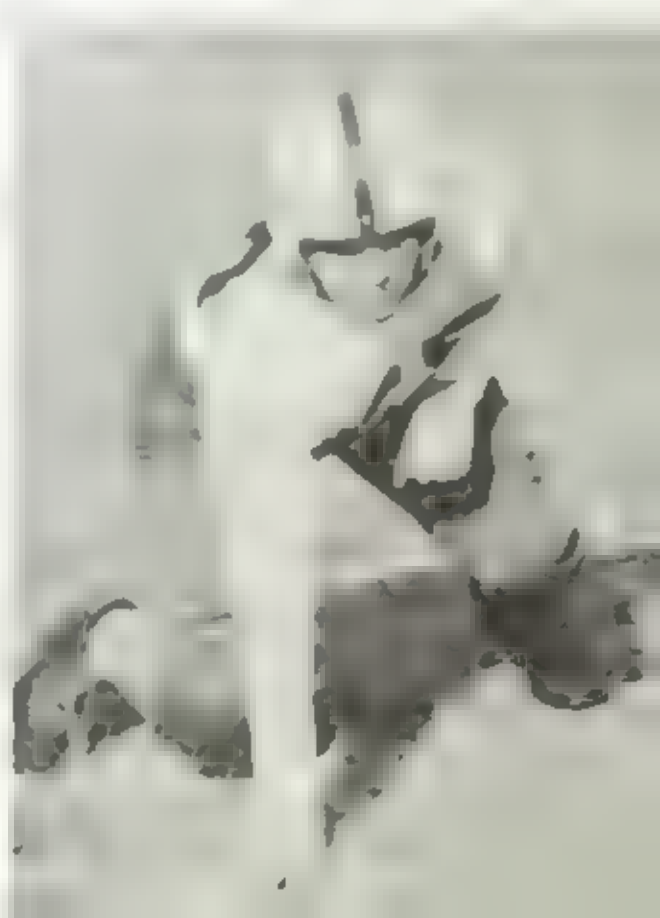
Ivan Miller, Freshman, Center. With a new fighting spirit, Ivan Miller, Freshman, Center, is expected to lead the Bulldogs in the future years.



Pat Kroy, Freshman, End. Kroy is expected to be a star for the Bulldogs. His speed and ability give him a fine future for him as a Bulldog.



Bobby Smiley, Freshman Guard: Out for football for the first time since he was a member of the C. H. S. team. This year he is expected to lead the Bulldogs in the future for him at C. H. S.



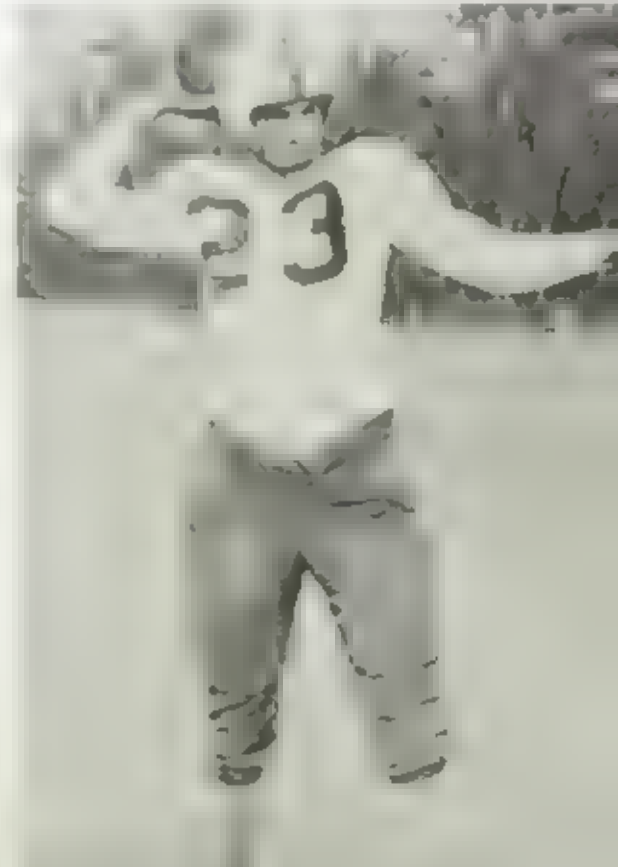


In their final home game of the season the Bulldogs played host to the Diboll Lumberjacks. The 'Jacks' put up a spirited battle the first half but just couldn't contain the offensive minded Bulldogs. Led by Henry Pope, Buddy Chisolm, and Cleo Purvis behind great blocking by Jerry Maxey, Jack Knox and Corry Jones the Bulldogs led by 13-0 at the half and turned the game into a riot in the third quarter to win by 41-0.

Larry Buckley, Sophomore Halfback: Larry is regarded as a good prospect. A little slow for a halfback, he may turn up as a line man on next year's team. Wherever he plays, he will do a good job because he is a fine competitor.

Harold Byron, Sophomore Tackle: A good prospect, Harold has the size and ability to be a great lineman. He is expected to share a great deal of the load for the Bulldogs next year.

Robert Cockrell, Freshman Quarterback: Robert, possessing outstanding ability as a passer and punter, needs only polish and experience to become an outstanding quarterback.



The Blue ... W ...
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 line the Bulldogs ...
 ... With line Cleo Purvis pitching ...
 Knox, Marvin Slusher ... Chris ...
 the Bulldogs ... show but ...
 ... to keep ...
 up with the ... was 346



Ocie Keith Burks, Freshman
 Guard: Ocie was unable to come
 out until late in the season. He is
 expected to be a very good line-
 man for the Bulldogs in future
 years

Clyde Lafferty, Freshman
 End: Clyde is another great ...
 ... He is ...
 ... is expected to ...
 ... near future

... D. Jerson, Freshman
 Guard: A fierce competitor, "Big
 Red" loves the game especially ...
 ... is a little rough. Every
 one expects great things from him
 in the years to come





The Warren Warriors furnished the opposition for the Bulldogs' final game of the season at Warren. Despite a terrific effort by the Warriors and an injury to center Jack Knox that greatly upset their offense, the Bulldogs won handily 28-7. Buddy Chisolm was the offensive star for the Bulldogs as he contributed several nice gains including a 70 yard scoring dash that was nullified by an off-side penalty. Corry Jones, Co-Captain Jerry Maxey, and Donald Spurlock were the big guns in the forward wall.

Ashley Bacon, Sophomore Tackle: Short on words, but long on hustle, Ashley rates as a very good prospect. Although small for a tackle, he is expected to find a place on the starting eleven next year.



Bobby Perkins, Freshman End: Although getting started late this season, Bobby displayed a lot of spirit and hustle. He is expected to make a fight for a position next year.





The Corrigan Bulldogs of 1954 were led by one of the finest groups of seniors ever to represent the school. Outstanding athletes, the seniors on the '54 squad have set an example of good sportsmanship, school spirit and moral character that will be a guide for all future Corrigan athletes.

Back row, left to right: Thomas Lowe, Corry Jones, Billy Rice, Elmer Knox, B. I. Manry, James Splettstosser

Front row, left to right: Henry D. Pope, Eugene Matlock, Jack Knox, Jerry Maxey, Marvin Slusher, Cleo Purvis

1954 SCORES

Corrigan	10	Lufkin "B	0
Corrigan	15	Orange "B	14
Corrigan	10	Kountze	0
Corrigan	20	Colmesneer	0
Corrigan	50	Chester	0
Corrigan	6	Groveton	31
Corrigan	7	Trinity	20
Corrigan	11	Diboll	0
Corrigan	1	Woodville	1
Corrigan	25	Warren	7

ALL-DISTRICT PLAYERS

Jerry Maxey, left guard, is the only C. H. S. football star to have ever been on the all-district teams for all of his high school years. C. H. S. has been well represented by Jerry, who shows great sportsmanship as well as leadership and determination.



Donald Van Spurlock, right guard, played throughout his football year with much hustle and spunk. He was one of the three C. H. S. players to gain a first team all district position.



Buddy Chisolm, a halfback, has started off his four years of football playing for C. H. S. with a big bang. He was the only freshman on the starting eleven, and to top a very successful year, he made the first all-district team.



JUNIOR HIGH FOOTBALL TEAM



First row—L. to R Clarence Rector, Larry Smith, Jud Homer David, Frank Alsbrooks, Curtis Jordan, Archie Loving, Donald Miller

Second row—L. to R Billy Rex Whitley, Earl Stanford, William Morrison, Loyd Herring, Burton Sailer, William Manry, Jackie Franklin

Third row—L. to R Mr. J. R. Cockrell, Tommie Nelson, James Mullican, James Blalock, Billy Sanford, Don Cummins, Herbert Gassiot, Thurman Stanley, Jackie Sherman

SCORES

Corrigan	14	Woodville	14
Corrigan	20	Woodville	46
Corrigan	6	Diboll	12
Corrigan	33	Diboll	13
Corrigan	13	Trinity	25
Corrigan	13	Trinity	35



BASKETBALL





Back row, left to right

Front row, left to right

Red Cross - Memphis - 10-11-68
Edwell Put Knox, Larry Buckley, Elmer Knox
10-11-68
v. Edwayne Barton, Cleo Purvis, Marvin



BOYS' BASKETBALL STARTING LINE-UP

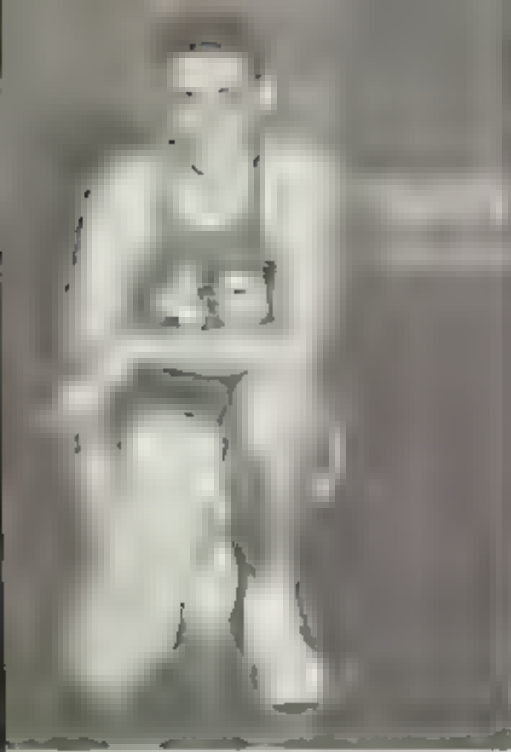


Henry D. Pope
Senior Forward



Chris Nelson
Junior Forward





Iner Knox
Center



Henry D. Pope
Forward



Cleo Perkins
Guard



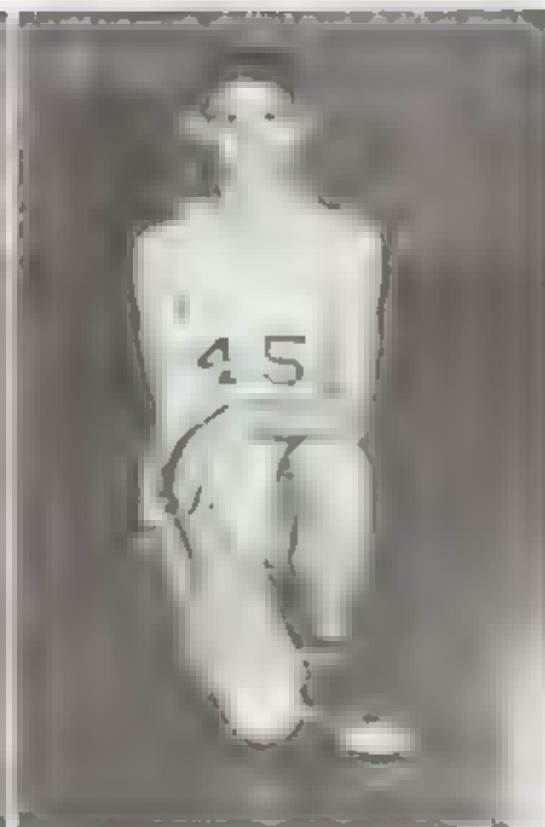
Martin Slesner
Guard



Gene Liles
Center



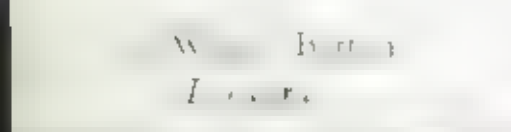
Charles Nelson
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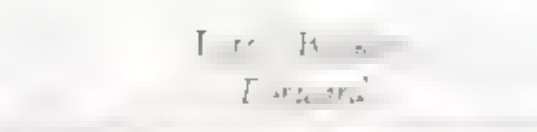
Pitt Knox
Forward



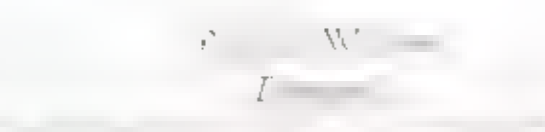
Charlie Biles
Guard



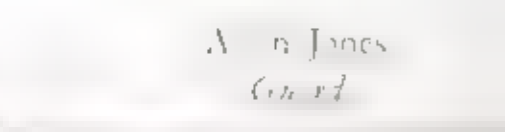
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Forward



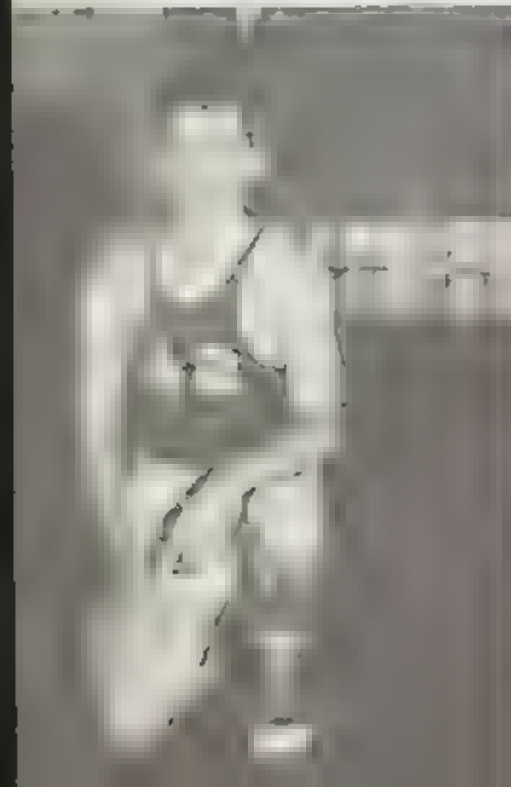
Lee Ross
Forward



Fred Williams
Forward



Allen Jones
Guard



COACH

J. R. Cockrell
 Jack Sherman
 Don Cummins
 Tommy Nelson
 Jackie Franklin



JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL SQUAD

J. R. Cockrell, Jack Sherman, Don Cummins, Tommy Nelson, Jackie Franklin





Mr. Edward Ray has made a big change since last year. He switched from boys' to girls' basketball and P. E. He seems to have great interest and enthusiasm in his girls' team. This is his third year as a member of the Corrigan School Faculty.

Left to Right

Pearlina T. ... n. 1 ... a Sue Smith, Mary Walker, Bobbie Jean Tullos, Doris Jean Deggs, Marjorie Sailor



Mary Walker, and Doris Deeggs are the tri-captains of the girls' basketball. These girls always play their best for Corrigan High.



Left to Right

Jean Tullos, Mary Alice Purvis, Carolyn Watson, Elizabeth Sirman, Mollie Smith, Emma Sue Smith, Pearl Thomason, Doris Jean Deggs, Mary Walker, Marjorie Sailor, Ann Matthews, Arlene Purvis, Essie Lee Brooks, Mary Jane Tullos
Coach Ed. Ray





Marjorie Sailor,
Senior Forward



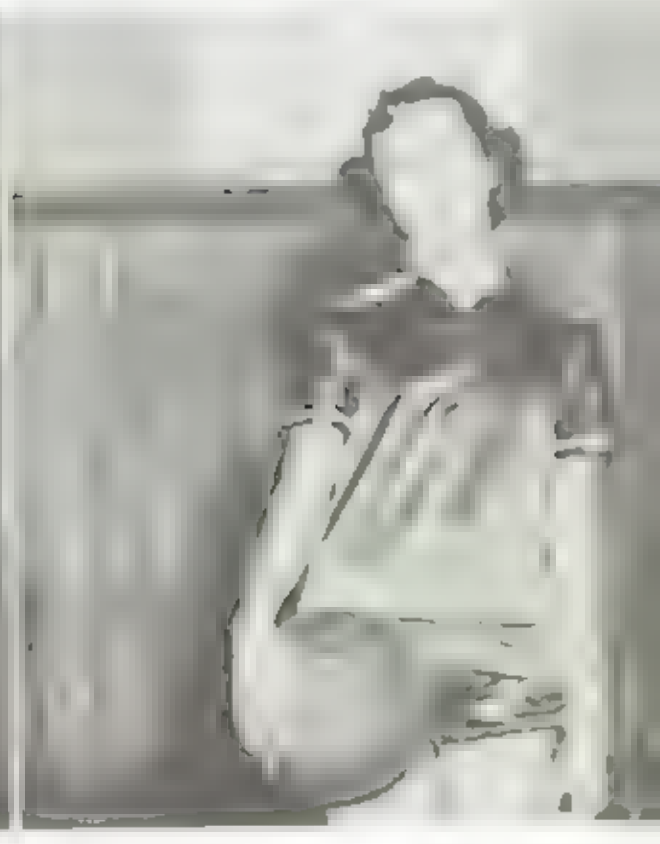
Doris Jean Deggs,
Sophomore Forward



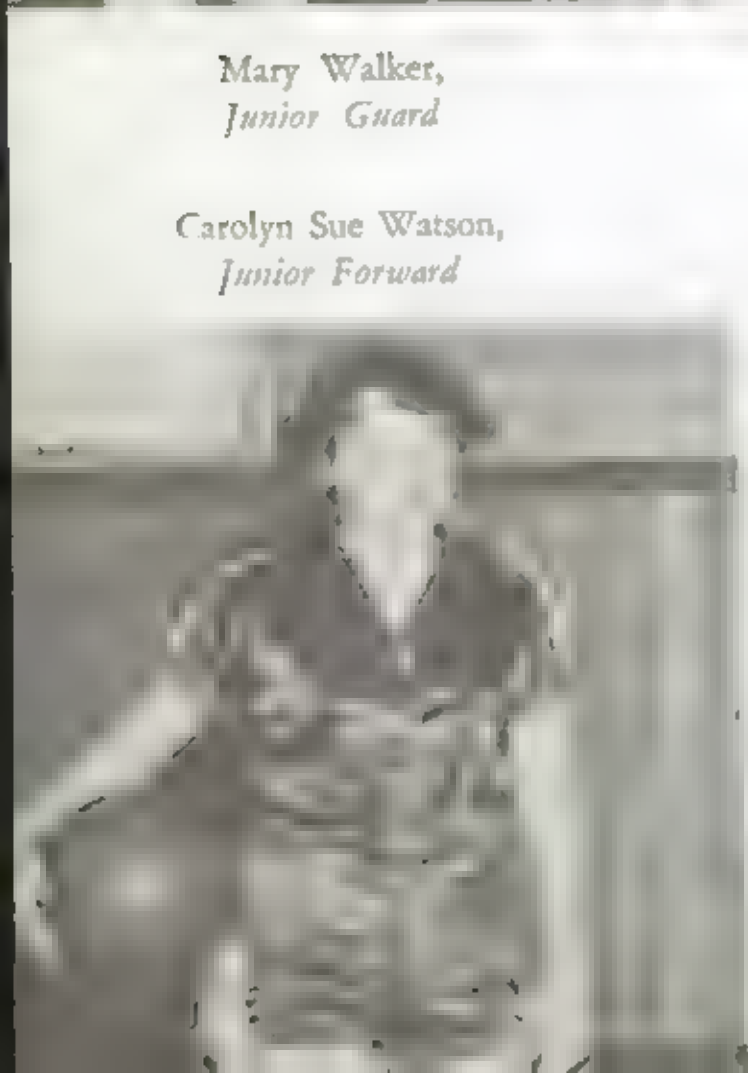
Mary Walker,
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Emma Sue Smith
Junior Guard



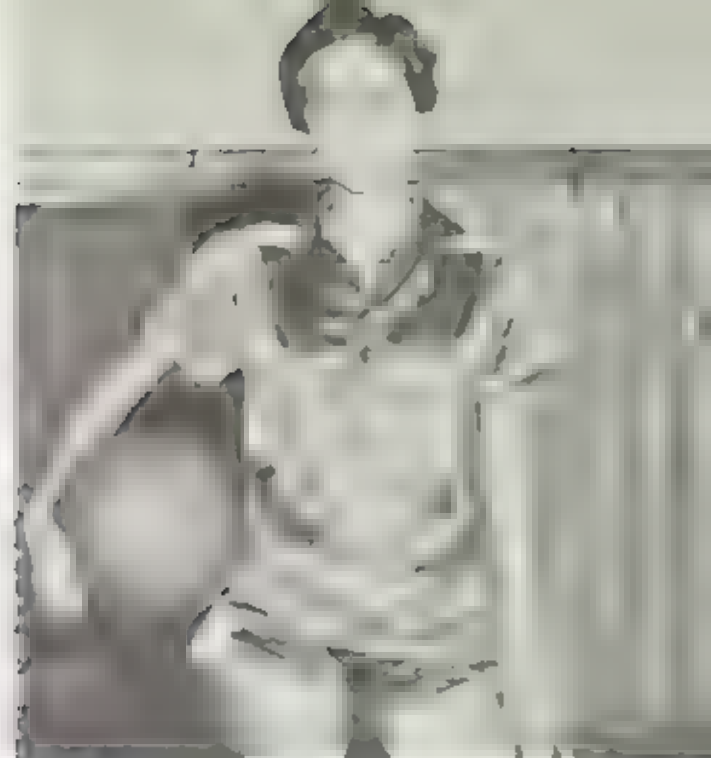
Mary Alice Purvis,
Sophomore Guard



Carolyn Sue Watson,
Junior Forward



Pearline Thomason
Sophomore Guard



Mollie Ann Smith
Sophomore Guard



Bobbie Jean Tullos,
Junior Forward

Ann Matthews,
Freshman Guard

Arleen Purvis,
Junior Forward

Issie Lee Brooks,
Freshman Forward

Mary Jane Tullos,
Freshman Forward





JUNIOR HIGH GIRLS' BASKETBALL

First row, left to right: Louise Gholson, Mae Beauchamp, Leeler Isbell, Maryanna Barclay, Betty Ann Maxey, Lucille Watson, Coach Ray
 Second row, left to right: Loree Sanford, Nona Huggins, Julia Phillips, Edna Perkins.
 Not shown: Patsy Hollis and Lillian Mikolajewski

SCORES

Corrigan-13	Camden-11
Corrigan-15	Leggett-11
Corrigan-14	Lufkin-29
Corrigan-16	Lufkin-21
Corrigan-15	Camden-13



1954-1955 TRACK TEAM

First row, left to right: Henry D. Pope, Ed Wayne Barton, Lynn Miller, Marvin Slusher, Cleo Purvis, Eugene Matlock, Coach Cockrell

Second row, left to right: Jerry Marx, Corry Jones, Elmer Knox, James S. Fostesser, Jack Knox, Harold Byron, B. L. Manry, not shown Buddy Chisolm



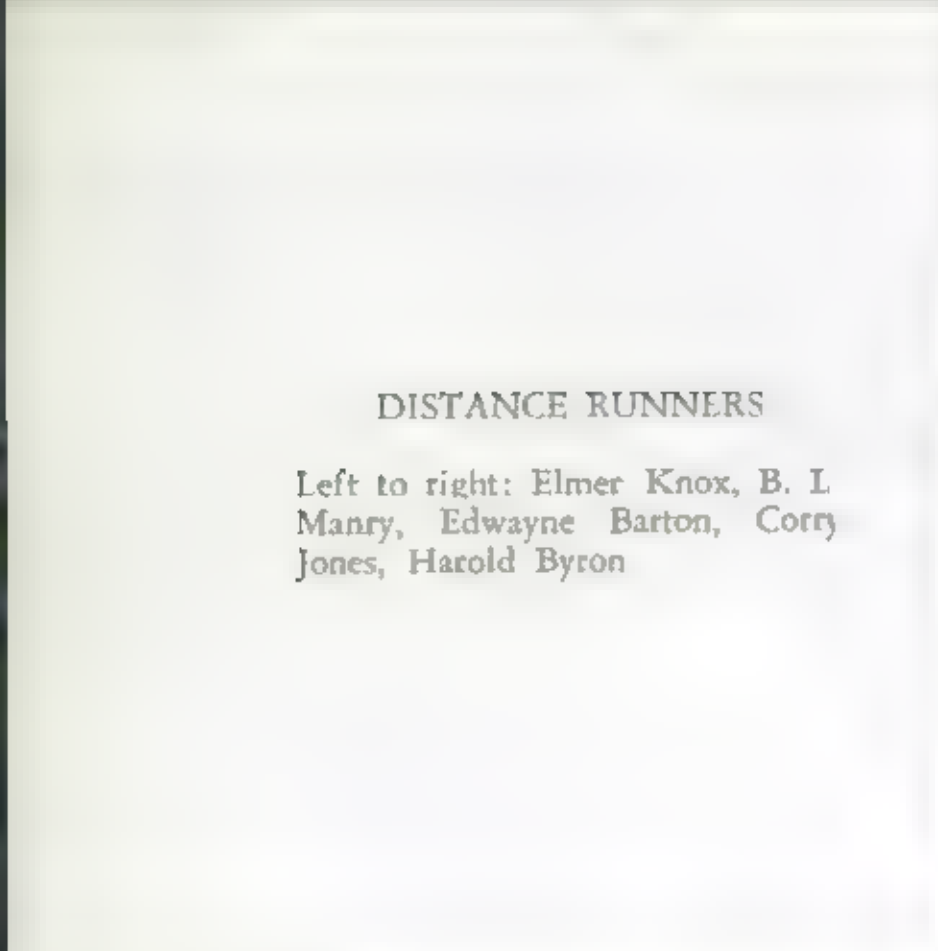
Corry Jones, an outstanding half-miler, is captain of the Bulldog track team. In district competition last year he won second place in the 880 dash, third place in high jump, and was a member of the first place sprint relay team. His leadership and ability should have much to do with making a winning track team for Corrigan this year.



SPRINTERS

Left to right: Lynn Miller, James Splettstosser, Marvin Slusher, Corry Jones, Eugene Matlock

Not shown: Buddy Chisolm



DISTANCE RUNNERS

Left to right: Elmer Knox, B. L. Manry, Edwayne Barton, Corry Jones, Harold Byron



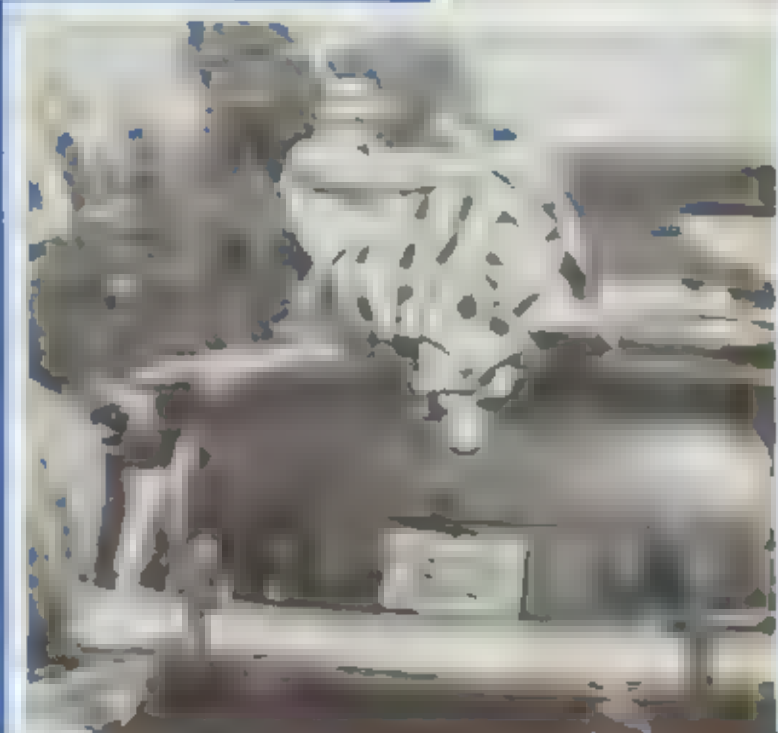
FIELD EVENTS

Left to right: Jack Knox, Jerry Maxey, and Henry D. Pope

Not shown: Buddy Chisolm and Cleo Purvis



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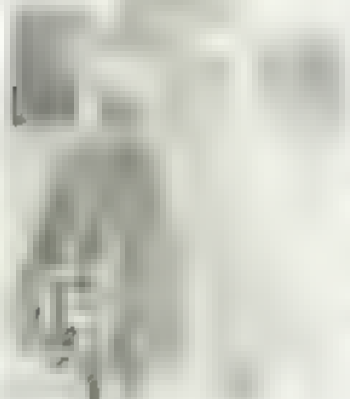


1. Miss Jeanfreau
2. Guess Who
3. Mr. Purvis
4. Lovebirds
5. Slide Wallace
6. Fire Tower Lov

7. Sweethearts
8. Little Wren
9. Curly & John Edens
10. Mr. Hall
11. Dolphin
12. Dances

13. Yvonne & Annette
14. Pals
15. Mr. Pope
16. Curry
17. Our Mascot
18. Curtis Jordan

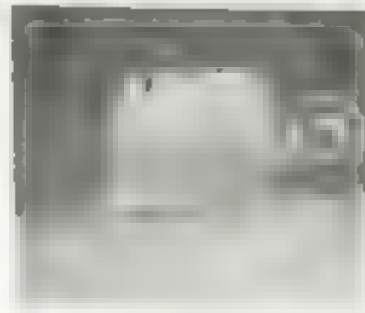
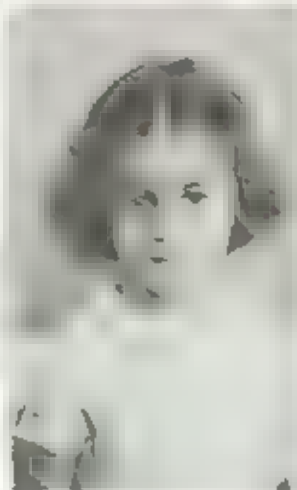
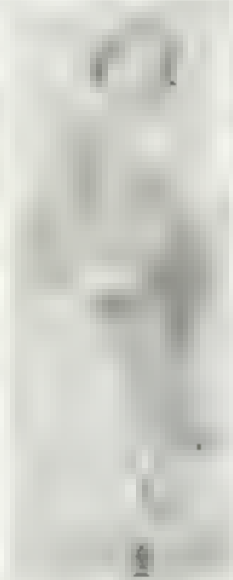
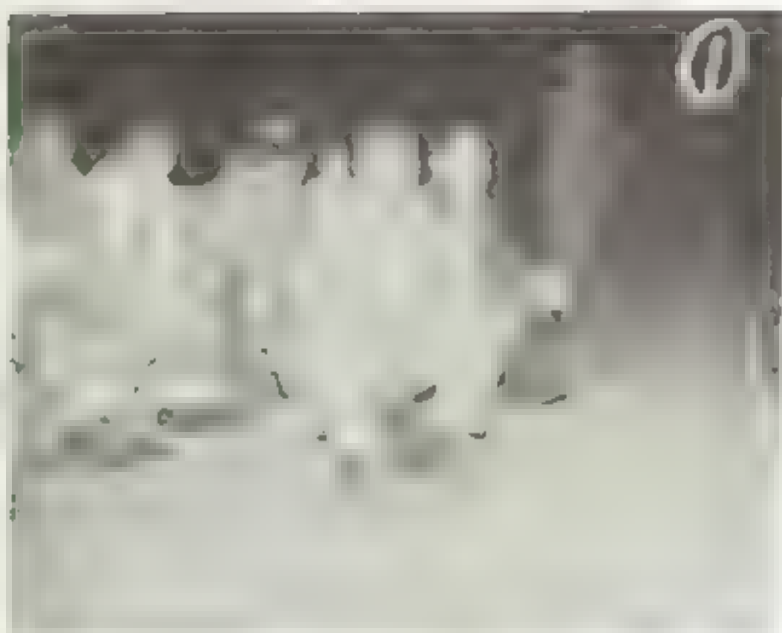
19. Glamour Girl
20. Jesse
21. Shorty
22. Donald Van
23. Cleo



- 1 Cordcha and Paula
- 2 Nobody to Love
- 3 Skip Along Ray
- 4 Brothers
- 5 What Legs
- 6 Senior Beauty

- 7 Five of a kind
- 8 Uncle Bull
- 9 Uncle Jack
- 10 Cleo's Delight
- 11 Surprise
- 12 He Lives in Lufkin

- 13 La Niece De La Fosse
- 14 Twins
- 15 Where is the Horse
- 16 Moving the Band Hall



1. Woodville Game
Attention
3. Yea Bulldogs
4. Miss R
5. Focky
6. Women's

7. Let's Go Bulldogs
8. She's a Pu
9. Where's Budd
10. Little I
11. Tired Pup
12. What Form

13. Let's Go
14. Busy at Work
15. Christmas Program
16. Grammar School Choir
17. Ain't They Cut

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